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CONVENTION IS OPEN

Republicans in National Council in Philadelphia Begin Labors of the Campaign.

SENATOR WOLCOTT'S KEYNOTE SPEECH

Convention Hall, Philadelphia, June 19.—The republican national convention was launched upon the sea of its labors today at 12:35. It was called to order by National Chairman Hanna, amid scenes characteristic of such assemblages. Senator Hanna made a brief speech, in which he aroused much enthusiasm, and presented Senator Edward Wolcott, of Colorado, the temporary chairman, who made the keynote speech of the coming campaign. Governor Theodore Roosevelt, of New York, was given a tremendous ovation when he entered the convention hall and was recognized.

THE OPENING SCENES.

The crowds were slow in gathering at the convention hall. When, shortly after 11 o'clock, the band in the gallery awoke the echoes in the vast roof space there were not more than one thousand persons in the great auditorium.

But it was astonishing how rapidly the crowds began to arrive after that hour. They poured in in steady streams until they blackened the acres of seats. An unusually large number were women, looking fresh and sweet in their summer gowns.

The sergeant-at-arms and the ushers had their hands full attending to the crowds. In the seats back of the stage were many distinguished personages.

HANNA APPEARS.

The leaders were slow in arriving and it was not until Senator Hanna put in an appearance at 11:45 that the enthusiasm of the thousands was uncorked. He got a cheer as he moved up the center aisle the full length of the hall to the platform. General Grosvenor, the white-bearded old veteran, was immediately recognized and he, too, got a cheer.

Senator Allison, of Iowa, the famous leader of his party in the senate, was among the early arrivals. Among the other members of the senate on the stage were Hawley, of Connecticut; Burrows, of Michigan; Deboe, of Kentucky; Cullom, of Illinois, and Shoup, of Idaho.

FATHERS OF THE PARTY.

Occupying prominent seats upon the platform were four of the fourteen men now living who were delegates to the first convention of the republican party, held in Philadelphia June 17, 1856. All were members of the regular Ohio delegation. Three of them were prominent in the anti-slavery fight that led to the convention held in Pittsburg February 22d, 1856, which was in reality the precursor of the Philadelphia convention, and these men, therefore, claim to be among those who were chiefly instrumental in forming the republican party. The three men who were first at Pittsburg and later at Philadelphia are: Judge Rush R. Sloane, Sandusky, Ohio; Gen. R. B. Brinkerhoff, Mansfield, Ohio, and Hon. George R. Trey, Springfield, Ohio. Judge W. H. Upson, of Akron, Ohio, was at the Philadelphia convention, but not at that in Pittsburg.

Cornelius N. Bliss, of New York, got a scattering of applause as he came in and took his seat with the New York delegation, and Senator Platt, of New York, got a popular greeting. As the hour of noon approached the delegates entered in a solid stream and spread out over the seats reserved for thm.

BIG ONES OVERLOOKED.

The crowd was so absorbed picking out men of national reputation that they forgot to cheer, and men like Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts; Senator Davis, of Minnesota; Senator Foraker, of Ohio, did not get a hand as they took their places. Meantime the band was playing popular airs and the scene was impressive and animated. At noon Senator Hanna took his seat at the chairman's table, but although this was the hour set for calling the convention, he delayed a few moments, confering with Secretary Dick, Senator Wolcott and others.

CHEERS FOR ROUGH RIDER.

At 12:07 the first pronounced demonstration of the convention occurred. Governor Roosevelt came in through the main entrance and moved down the center aisle. He wore his rough rider hat and was instantly recognized. A deep, reverberating cheer greeted him. Men jumped to their chairs to cheer him and women fluttered their handkerchiefs. Delegates crowded forward to greet him as he moved through the press and his entrance, theatrical though it may have been, was like that of a conquering hero. He took his seat immediately in the rear of Senator Platt and in front of Senator Depew.

"Our Chauncey," who has aroused the attention of many a republican convention, came at the same time Roosevelt did, but the multitude had eyes only for the hero of San Juan.

NOTABLE GROUPS.

Many notable groups could be seen among the delegates. Immediately in front sat Senator Fairbanks, of Indiana, with Governor Mount, of that state, just behind him. Governor Shaw, of Iowa, ran over to greet his executive colleague and saw that Dolliver's flag was still flying. Across the aisle Senator Platt, with pearl cap tipped back, reflected how it was, while Cornelius N. Bliss was earnestly assuring Senator Payne as to some controverted point. Mr. Odell sat with Mr. Quigg and all the New Yorkers kept turning their heads to see when that broad-brimmed sombrerro made its appearance.

Governor Taylor, of Kentucky, came in with Governor Bradley, of that state, the former smiling and unruffled after all his turmoil. Just across was Senator Foraker with his hair tossed, looking as though he had been having hard conferences, while General Grosvenor, looking like a patriarch, paced the aisle and grasped hands.

Senator Lodge and Judge McCall came in at the head of the Massachusetts delegation and were greeted by General Harry Bingham.

"Is it all over?" said Bingham.

"Yes," said Lodge, "for Long—that's the ticket, a certainty, McKinley and Long."

Senator Quay smiled grimly from across the aisle. He wore a suit of miller's gray and had apparently contracted the sombrero habit, for his hat was of expansive brim and of the Santiago cut. He greeted Senator Davis and the two hugged and whispered.

Then Senator Thurston broke up the hugging.

Sitting together on the platform was a group of distinguished guests from the diplomatic corps at Washington, including the first secretaries of the British embassy, Mr. Gerald Lowther, and of the Spanish legation, Senor Don Riano.

Kansas had seats immediately across the aisle from New York, to the left, and when Roosevelt came in the Kansas delegates gave him a special reception and one enthusiastic Kansan grabbed the governor by the arm and pulled him across the aisle.

The long gallery was now packed with humanity and the floor from wall to wall was a living sea of people.

During the intervals when the band was not playing the hall was filled with an indescribable hum of myriads of voices which is only heard at the gathering of thousands of people. Before Chairman Hanna on the desk was a heavy plank about a foot square and on this lay his gavel.

The gavel was unique. It consisted of a heavy square oak piece filled with a handle and looked more like a maul than a gavel for a presiding officer.

Senator Hanna seemed in no hurry to call the convention to order. Attired in a sack suit with a white vest he sat chatting with those about him, his broad face beaming, his eyes meantime roving over the convention. At 11:30 the band broke into the stirring strains of "The Star Spangled Banner."

Governor Roosevelt was first on his feet in response to the national anthem. His rough rider hat came off and he stood with head uncovered. Instantly the whole convention rose en masse.

THOUSANDS CHEER.

Ten thousand people stood while the stirring air was played and ap-

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GOSSIP OF THE CONVENTION

THE ROUGH RIDER'S BOOM.

Philadelphia, June 19.—The fault-finders and critics were astir early, as were the partisans on both the Roosevelt and anti-Roosevelt sides. The friends of the governor were disposed to find some fault with his pronunciamento. Said one of the United States senators who started the movement in Governor Roosevelt's behalf:

"We can nominate him if he will only say he wants the office, but his halting and coyness of attitude renders the task difficult. If Governor Roosevelt is the politician he is credited with being, he will come out in plain terms as a candidate. Standing as he does now between the lines, he is liable to get shot at by both armies, and it is quit probable that, if he fails in the vice presidential nomination, he will also fail in securing the New York governorship. He waits too long."

TOO MUCH ADMINISTRATION.

On the other hand, there is sharp criticism of the selection of Secretary Long as the administration candidate, on the ground that it looks as if the friends of the president thought there was no capable man to be found outside the circle of his immediate official coterie.

"I don't think we want a candidate from New England," said Senator Cullom, of Illinois. "New England is reliably republican and we want a man nearer the heart of the country. Furthermore, there is no necessity to bring the administration any more into the campaign than will be done by the president's own candidacy.

"I don't believe," he continued, "that they can beat Teddy with the secretary, much as I like the secretary."

PLATT'S BELIEF.

Senator Thomas C. Platt said this morning:

"I am of the opinion that nothing can stop the nomination of Governor Roosevelt. The majority of the delegates seem to be in favor of him."

"Will New York state cast their votes for him?" was asked.

"I cannot say," he replied, evasively. "The delegation will meet this afternoon and I do not know what they will do."

"Has not Mr. Quay asked you to cast New York's vote for Roosevelt?"

"I cannot discuss the matter. The delegation will control its own business."

These questions were asked Mr. Platt because of rumors that the leaders of the New York delegation would break their pledges to Governor Roosevelt and vote this afternoon at its meeting to make him the vice presidential candidate.

Mr. Odell and Mr. Quigg both said that they had heard of no such plan, but both added significantly and in the same manner as had Mr. Platt that they did not speak for the majority of the delegates. But if such a plan is made public in the delegation's meeting, it will cause a bitter row. Governor Roosevelt, as a member of the delegation, will fight any such proposition, and he has many friends, although not a majority of the delegation behind him. When the thing was suggested to him this morning he said:

"I don't believe it. I have Mr. Platt's word, and it is as good as his bond, that it will not be done. I have also Mr. Odell's assurances."

PLATT WANTS TO WAIT.

Senator Hanna came to the convention hall directly from his conference with Senator Platt. He said that Senator Platt did not want anything said until this evening, after the meeting of the New York delegation. Senator Hanna said he was informed Roosevelt was willing to make his declaration of yesterday even still stronger if necessary.

Senator Burrows, of Michigan, is authority for the statement that Roosevelt said to Henry C. Payne and the chairman of the Wisconsin delegation that he would decline if he was nominated for vice president.

Governor Roosevelt sent for Henry C. Payne and Senator Lodge just before he left for the convention hall, but could not find them. Chairman Odell, of the New York state committee, sent word to the room, "Don't make any statement or talk for publication until you see me. I have something to tell you of importance that will please you."

A PLATT-HANNA PROGRAM.

It is generally believed that Mr. Platt and Mr. Hanna have arranged a program and that Roosevelt will not be nominated.

Governor Roosevelt left the hotel at twelve minutes to 12 o'clock, with Senator Depew and the senator's son, and was driven to the convention hall. He received an ovation at the hotel, along the streets and at the entrance to the convention grounds.

Governor Roosevelt said after he came into the convention hall, when asked about the reported remark to Henry C. Payne, that he had made no statement except the one made direct to the public.

"If you hear rumors of statements," he continued, "you can go to Chairman Odell, of New York, and unless he says they are genuine you need not believe them."

He then added, in his emphatic way:

"I earnestly hope that there will be no necessity for any statement."

ODELL SAYS ROOSEVELT.

As if in direct contradiction to these late rumors Mr. Odell, when approached in the convention hall, and after refusing at first to talk, said bluntly:

"Why, there's little doubt but that it is Roosevelt. It can't be stopped."

"Has Mr. Hanna agreed to it?" was asked.

"I don't know. I simply believe that an overwhelming sentiment will probably nominate Roosevelt."

At the conference between Senator Platt and Senator Hanna today the former indicated a desire to agree upon Odell, the same proposition that was submitted yesterday. Senator Hanna returned almost the same answer as given yesterday regarding the other candidates now being in the field and it would be unfair to them. He also said that it had been given out that Roosevelt was to be forced upon the convention against his own will because he was no longer wanted in New York, and so far as he, Hanna, was concerned, he did not propose to accept it.

PLATFORM GOSSIP.

Philadelphia, June 19.—The probabilities now are that Senator Fairbanks, of Indiana, will be chairman of the committee on platform. It was at first intended that this honor should be conferred upon Senator Foraker, but the latest decision, so far as the party leaders can decide the question in advance of the meeting of the committee, is to transfer it to another state. After Allison's nominating speech Senator Foraker will make the principal address in nominating President McKinley. He has done a great deal of preparatory work in putting the platform in shape, and is continuing to assist in that line. Yesterday and last night the instrument received several additions and was changed in some details, but it follows very closely the lines indicated Sunday night. A careful effort is being made to find a way to not entirely cut off the hopes of the bimetallists, but there will be a positive declaration against silver coinage under present conditions. The resolution will probably be in the shape of condemnation of bimetallism, "except by international agreement." The extreme gold men hope that even this implied concession shall not be made. A more delicate problem is what to do with the present Chinese situation. The embroglio in the celestial empire is so new and so unprecedented a predicament for the United States that it is conceded that any expression on the subject calls for the shrewdest finesse.

PLATFORM COMMITTEE.

Convention Hall, Philadelphia, June 19.—The committee on resolutions organized immediately after the adjournment of the convention and then adjourned to meet at the Walton hotel at 5 o'clock.

On motion of Senator Foraker, Senator Fairbanks, of Indiana, was chosen chairman of the committee, and E. Rosewater, the Nebraska member, secretary. In suggesting Mr. Rosewater's nomination, Senator Foraker stated that the position should be given to him as a compliment to his profession of journalism. The suggestion was received with general approval.

CONVENTION SCENES.

Convention Hall, Philadelphia, June 19.—As the hour drew near for the assembling of the convention the esplanade in front of the main entrance presented an animated appearance. The crash came in a heap. Crowds from street cars filled the greensward on either side of the driveway, while the driveway became crowded with equipages of every class.

The first arrival which attracted the attention of all was Senator Hanna, who came in the private carriage of George C. Griscom and was accompanied by that gentleman. The police lined up before Mr. Hanna and kept the crowd back. Although Mr. Hanna had any number of offers to show him how to get in, he undertook to be his own pilot and made the wrong entrance.

The Thirty-fourth street entrance to the grounds was not pressed up to the hour of noon. Not a thousand persons had passed the turnstiles at 12 o'clock. The grounds about the convention hall are supplied with benches, on which many sat as leisurely as if there was nothing unusual. The impatient hurry, confusion and disorder usually incident to the first day of a national convention were not in evidence outside the building before the beginning of the first day's session.

WOLCOTT'S RECEPTION.

Convention Hall, Philadelphia, June 19.—Senator Wolcott's speech as temporary chairman of the convention was splendidly received and was frequently interrupted by outbursts of applause, sometimes long-continued.

Senator Wolcott has a clear resonant voice, which penetrated to the furthest recesses of the hall. He speaks, however, with great rapidity and this, perhaps, somewhat spoiled the effect of his speech. But the thousands before him were in thorough sympathy and he had no difficulty in striking a responsive chord. When with outstretched arm he predicted the triumphant election of the republican ticket in November the audience surrendered and when he first mentioned President McKinley's name he could not proceed for a minute, owing to the demonstration. As he rehearsed the history of the four years of republican administration, the prosperity which had blessed it, the victories it had won, the glorious outcome of the Spanish-American war, the campaign of misrepresentation in connection with the Philippines which its enemies had inaugurated and which it had met, the convention repeatedly broke into applause.

A KEYNOTE SPEECH.

It was a keynote speech, covering the legislation which had been placed on the statute books and its deepest note was the financial prosperity of the country and the legislation which had made its continuation possible if the present administration was continued in power. That was the theme to which the demonstrations of the conventions clung. When he said that the old issue of the democrats was dead and that they were driven to find new issues in a war which they had been most anxious to precipitate, the convention arose at him, but the outburst was even greater when he declared that the division among the republicans of the east and west on the financial issue was a thing of the past and that those who had left the party four years ago in the west were returning on the issue of expansion. The first mention of expansion was also the signal for a demonstration.

Senator Wolcott paced up and down along the front of the platform as he proceeded and several times he consulted his notes. He is not at his best in a prepared speech and his admirers were, possibly, a little disappointed.

The Indiana delegation led the applause when Senator Wolcott announced that the thieving post office officials in Cuba would be hunted down. Probably the greatest demonstration occurred when he said that we would establish law and order in the Philippines and that the last thing to be considered was to give up the islands.

NEW JERSEY FOR LONG.

Convention Hall, Philadelphia, June 19.—The New Jersey delegation has met and decided to cast their votes for Long for vice president.

MISS AGNES MERZ DEAD.

Miss Agnes Merz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Merz, died at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the family residence, 25 Pine street. Miss Merz was about eighteen years of age.

MRS. BEVERIDGE DEAD.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 19.—Mrs. Beveridge, wife of United States Senator Albert J. Beveridge, of Indiana, died in a sanitarium at Dansville, N. Y., this morning from heart failure.

Miss Mattie Hartman, of Huntington, is visiting Fort Wayne friends.

WILL SEND AN ARMY

Five Thousand Russian Troops Are Ordered to Proceed at Once to Seat of Trouble.

GRAVEST ANXIETY FOR DIPLOMATS

Washington, June 19.—Secretary of State Hay has been notified by the Russian embassy here that 4,000 Russian troops have been dispatched from Port Arthur to Taku.

WIRES INTERRUPTED.

Paris, June 19.—At a cabinet council today the minister of foreign affairs, M. Delcasses, announced that the telegraph line between Pekin and Tien Tsin was still interrupted. A dispatch received from Shanghai says Li Hung Chang has been summoned to Pekin from Canton.

The French consul at Shanghai telegraphs that the danger of complications in the Yang-Tse-Kiang valley and the province of Tsa Chuan (Szechnau) appears to be diminishing.

The minister of marine, M. De Lannessan, announces that the French armored cruiser Giechen will leave France for Taku June 23, and that the armored cruiser, Admiral Charner, and the second-class cruiser, Friant, will sail June 29. He added that two transports conveying two battalions of infantry and two batteries of artillery would leave at the same time.

IMMENSE ANXIETY.

Shanghai, June 19.—The consulates have received no communication from the legations at Pekin since June 11, and the greatest anxiety prevails as to their safety. There are innumerable rumors but there is nothing of an accurate nature. The stories purporting to describe the situation at Pekin June 17 merely reiterate previous accounts.

The viceroy of Nanking has taken vigorous measures to prevent a rising in his district. Sensational native rumors are current that Tien Tsin has been burned by the Chinese soldiers and that Yuet, the viceroy of China, has fled from his province in order to escape degradation.

ONE REGIMENT ORDERED.

Washington, June 19.—Adjutant General Corbin declared positively today that up to date only one regiment, the Ninth infantry, has been ordered from Manila to China.

In addition to the Oregon, which is to go up to Taku from Hong Kong, the Buffalo, with 300 green landsmen aboard, has been ordered at once from Southampton, England, to the Philippines, while the gunboats Princeton and Marietta, which are admirably suited to service in the Pei-ho river above Taku, have been held at Cavite under orders to be ready for service at any moment. The Zafiro also has been held at the same place, in readiness to take on supplies for the naval contingent at Taku.

If the Princeton and Marietta join Admiral Kempff, as seems probable now, he will have at his command a more numerous and effective fleet of gunboats adapted to service on the Pei-ho river as far up as Tien Tsin than any of the other naval powers there represented.

No reports were received at the state department today from any of its officials in China. It is not known, consequently, whether or not our naval vessels were with the other foreign ships in an engagement at Taku on Sunday.

THE SITUATION.

London, June 19.—Judging from the German official dispatches the American ships took no part in the bombardment of the Taku forts Sunday morning. No news has yet been received here of the relief of the legations at Pekin and Europe's attention is centered far less on the overwhelming display of naval force at Taku than on the fate of the diplomatic staffs and six hundred cosmopolitan residents, guarded by a handful of international marines, within the legation compounds. There has been no news thence since June 14.

Rumors that Japan will, as the mandatory of the powers, restore order in China was revived in a dispatch today from Yokohama. Berlin dispatches intimate that Germany will not object to Japan sending eighteen thousand troops, while Great Britain will indorse the plan with avidity, though perhaps only secretly.

The Japanese legation in London has official information of the dispatch of 3,000 troops. In the meanwhile the British are dispatching six native regiments, besides artillery, from India. The revolt is spreading in western China. The representative of Pritchard Morgan, M. P., at Ching-Tu wires that he and his party have been detained there owing to news that the revolution has broken out in Szechuan, which adjoins the province of Yunnan, also in revolt, and official news comes today that the London Missionary society's premises at Tsao-Shih, central China, west northwest of Hankow, have been destroyed by a mob.

The rising seems to be spreading with rapidity and shows unexpected organization among the anti-foreign elements.

The missionaries at Tsao-Shih escaped and reached Hankow in safety.

UNION PLUMBERS QUIT WORK

DEMAND AN INCREASE IN THE RATE OF WAGES.

Agreement Was Signed by Some of the Bosses—Hopes Entertained for Settlement.

Trouble has been brewing between the journeymen and boss plumbers for a fortnight or longer and finally matters came to a head this morning. The journeymen plumbers first asked for $3 for nine hours' work, a wage which all the bosses refused to pay, some of them, however, offering to pay thirty cents an hour. The union finally fixed a scale of thirty cents an hour for journeymen and twenty-two and one-half cents for juniors, and several of the bosses signed the agreement, while other bosses declined to sign. Last evening it was decided that the men employed in the establishments where the increase was refused should quit and this morning the union men employed by Messrs. Spice, Noll, Jahn & Meyer and Franke quit work and held a meeting in their hall, where the situation was discussed. An effort is being made to settle the disagreement and it is believed that matters will so shape themselves that the men will return to work within a day or two.

SUNDAY NIGHT AT THE TEMPLE

No effort is being spared to make the service at the Temple next Sunday night the very best and most attractive possible. In addition to the address and the congregational singing, a ladies' quartet will also sing one selection. Mr. Allen intends to make the service a popular one. He recognizes that many men today have honest doubts and he will address himself to these in a frank and manly manner, leaving all theological discussion alone.

John G. Raubold, of the firm of Raubold & Lambkin, moulding manufacturers, is the guest of F. W. Kelsey, of 3 Michigan avenue. Mr. Kelsey has been in the employ of the firm as salesman for many years. Today Mr. Raubold and Herman Siemon were guests of Mr. Kelsey at dinner.

Huntington Herald: "John Miller, wife and children, and Sam Hielderbroner, of Fort Wayne, and Roscoe Eckman and wife, from near Majenica, were guests of B. A. Richards and wife, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Eckman will give a big dinner to mute guests on Sunday, June 24."

Several of the young people of the West Jefferson street Church of Christ who have been attending Hiram college are expected home this week. Two of Dr. T. H. McCormick's children, Ferman and Ada, receive their diplomas of graduation at the

THEY ALL SAY SO,

NOT ONLY IN FORT WAYNE, BUT IN EVERY CITY AND TOWN IN THE UNION.

If the reader took the time and trouble to ask his fellow residents of Fort Wayne the simple question given below, he would obtain the one answer. If he would read the statements now being published in Fort Wayne which refer to this answer, it would surprise him to note that they number so many. As many more could be, and may be, published; but in the meantime ask the first person you meet what cures backache? The answer will be Doan's Kidney Pills. Here is a citizen who endorses our claim:

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CITY FIRE SWEPT.

TREMENDOUS CONFLAGRATION IN BLOOMINGTON, ILL.

THE LOSS NEAR $2,000,000

PIXLEY CLOTHING STORE IS DESTROYED.

COURT HOUSE WAS GUTTED

BUSINESS SECTION A WASTE OF ASHES.

Bloomington, Ill., June 19.—Five blocks of the best business buildings, located in the heart of this city, were destroyed by fire, which started at 12:30 o'clock this morning.

McLean county court house, valued at $400,000, was completely gutted, but the records were saved.

Nearly fifty firms were burned out. It is estimated that the losses will foot up between $1,500,000 and $2,000,000.

Only one life was lost, and that indirectly. The fire started in the Model laundry, on Monroe street, in the block northeast of the court house. It spread rapidly along the north and east sides of Court House square.

DYNAMITE CHECKED FIRE.

Help was requested from Peoria and Springfield. Before this arrived the fire was eating its way to the east and dynamite was used to check its progress.

Robert L. Schmitt, aged 19, heard the terrific explosions and fell dead from heart failure.

The block where the fire started was soon entirely destroyed with the exception of the government building and post office and which escaped undamaged. Besides the old Durley theatre, the following firms were located in the block:

Brand & Co., furniture; Vimont & Koehn, dry goods; Cooper & Jackman glassware; Pixley & Co., clothing; Thompson & Sons, furniture; Model laundry; B. S. Green Co., Miller & Sons, hardware.

The flames then jumped across Main street to the Minerva block, which was destroyed. It was tenanted by the following firms:

No Name Store, Neihaus' Restaurant, Helbig's music store, McLean County Coal company, S. Ensriy's coal office, Gutherie cigar store, Phoenix hotel, Garvey's drug store, Coblentz's drug store, R. C. Rogers, wall paper; C. W. Klemm, dry goods, loss $100,000; Stephen Smith Sons, dry goods, $75,000; J. H. Riggs, dry goods, $30,000; Bolles' tailor shops, Schneider Shoe Store company.

The Windsor hotel block next went before the flames.

The loss on the hotel amounts to $50,000, and on Wilcox's dry goods establishment $75,000. Griesheim's seven-story building, at Main and Jefferson streets, caught fire at 2 o'clock, and with the entire block lying east of the court house, was destroyed. The ground floor was occupied by Griesheim's clothing house, the destruction of which, with loss on building, cost $100,000. The upper floors were occupied by 300 or 400 professional men, who lost all their books and office fixtures. Parritt's jewelry establishment, Cole Bros.' new building and dry goods stock, the Corn Belt bank, Reed Bros., hardware; Klopp, hatter; State National bank, the Eagle office building were wiped out in turn.

EMBERS FIRED COURT HOUSE.

Burning embers from the Griesheim building set fire to the court house. The big building burned slowly and while hundreds of citizens were assisting in removing the records the clock in the dome tolled four times. Nothing was left but the walls of the building, which was erected at a cost of $400,000 twenty years ago.

Assistance had arrived from outside points and when the fire was communicated to the block west of the court house the combined fire departments made a last stand to check its spread. The block was gutted, however, and several business houses lost their stocks. But the firemen were successful and checked the flames after eight hours' hard work.

No figures are obtainable as to the amount of insurance.

THE PIXLEY LOSS.

The Pixley store swept away by the Bloomington conflagration was one of the syndicate of clothing and gent's furnishing goods houses owned by Pixley & Co., of Fort Wayne, and carried a stock valued at $40,000, upon which there was an insurance of $28,500. A reporter for The Sentinel this morning was able to give Mr. Pixley the first particulars of the fire which had swept away his store, though he had been advised by telegraph of the burning of his store.

Mr. Pixley stated that the store was situated upon the northeast corner of the public square, in a building owned by a daughter of the late Judge David Davis, of Illinois. It was established there in 1879, and has been under the management of R. H. Parmalee, who is now in this city on his vacation. The store was a double one, occupying a floor space of 42x100 feet, first story and basement.

Little more than a week ago the ceiling of one of the rooms fell, doing some damage to the stock, and a special sale was in progress while extensive improvements to the building were being made. Manager Read, of the Fort Wayne store, was at Bloomington but a few days ago on business connected with these improvements, and it was to have been made the model store of the city. The fire started in the diagonal corner of the block occupied by the Pixley store.

While Mr. Pixley had not been fully advised as to the exact extent of his loss, he announced that business would be resumed at Bloomington as soon as possible. The point has always been a good one for the business, and within a short time he hoped to place a new stock in the city.

COUNTY CLERK BELOT IS WED

LED MISS MARY M. REILLY TO THE HYMENIAL ALTAR.

Pretty Ceremony at the Cathedral This Morning—Northward on a Wedding Tour.

Frank J. Belot, clerk of Allen county, and Miss Mary M. Reilly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Reilly, were united in marriage this morning, the pretty ceremony being solemnized at the Cathedral at 7 o'clock. Rev. P. J. O'Reilly was the officiating clergyman.

A very large company of friends of the contracting couple were present to witness the ceremony, and high mass was celebrated. The bride was attended by Miss Mary A. Belot, a sister of the groom, and J. A. Reilly, jr., a brother of the bride, officiated as best man. The costumes of both bride and maid were exquisite creations of the modiste's art.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the bridal party was driven to the home of the bride's parents, four miles west of the city, where a large number of friends and relatives had assembled, and a very elaborate wedding breakfast was served.

This afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Belot left for Mackinac, and from thence they will go to Quebec. Upon their return home, about the middle of July, they will occupy Mr. Belot's handsome new residence on Spy Run avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Belot will have the most sincere congratulations of the widest circle of friends. Mr. Belot has become particularly well and favorably known since his incumbency of the clerk's office, and his bride is a gifted and charming young lady who stands high in the esteem of every acquaintance.

REFUSED TO SERVE WARRANT

Solomon Stauffer, justice of the peace of Maumee township, has filed an affidavit in Justice Bullerman's court charging Charles Kees, a Maumee township constable, with failure to serve a warrant for the arrest of William Driver, charged with profanity. The allegation is that Kees refused to act. Later an affidavit was filed against Driver in Fort Wayne and he was fined and now the Maumee township justice wants to punish his constable for failure to do his duty. The case is being tried this afternoon.

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THREE UNHAPPY COUPLES

JUDGE VESEY HEARS TWO DIVORCE CASES.

One New Application Filed—News Gathered in the Courts in One Day.

Judge Vesey this morning heard the evidence in the divorce case of Maria E. Johnson vs. Frank O. Johnson and granted the wife a decree. She was also given the custody of the three minor children.

This afternoon Judge Vesey is sitting as special judge in the circuit court hearing the evidence in the divorce suit of Mary J. Bolinger vs. Jacob Bolinger. Hartman & Stokes are plaintiff's attorneys and W. H. Shambaugh represents the defendant.

Charles Romy, through his attorney, W. H. Shambaugh, has commenced proceedings for divorce from his wife, Bertha Romy. The couple were divorced once and remarried.

NOTES.

The superior court jury, which has been hearing evidence in the case of McClellan vs. Scott, retired at noon for deliberation.

The last will and testament of the late Anna B. Schmitt has been filed for probate. She gives to her daughter Clara a sewing machine, to Rosa a cow and to Frances $50. The balance of the property is divided share and share alike among the three sons and three daughters.

OPENED THE BIDS.

The county commissioners opened bids Monday afternoon for the electrical fixtures in the new court house. There were only three bidders, as follows:

Oxley & Enos Manufacturing Co., New York	$19,800
A. Hattersley & Sons	18,900
Black & Boyd Manufacturing Co., New York	21,982

The commissioners took the bids under advisement and will decide Thursday afternoon. The bidders all have samples of their fixtures, which the commissioners are now examining.

NOTES.

John Morris, jr., resigned as judge pro tem. of the circuit court and J. B. Harper was appointed to preside during the balance of the term. Judge O'Rourke is still confined to his home.

The county auditor and the county treasurer are moving their offices into the new court house.

Hiram Ward was granted a divorce from Mary Ward by Special Judge John Morris, jr.

BOARD OF WORKS.

The board of works at the meeting held Monday afternoon received a remonstrance against the granting of a franchise on Montgomery street to the Maumee Valley Traction company. The remonstrance was presented by Councilman E. J. Ehrman, George A. Gale and Creighton Williams. Every property owner on the street had attached his name to the instrument.

C. E. Moellering & Co. were granted permission to lay under private contract sidewalks on the south side of Holman street, from Clinton to Clay.

R. B. Hanna, agent for the manufacturers of creosoted paving block, was granted permission to lay a crossing sidewalk at the corner of Harrison and Main streets. Mr. Hanna wants to demonstrate the durability and attractiveness of creosoted blocks and will put down the crossing free.

SPEILMAN-ROHBACH.

The marriage of Miss Kate Speilman and Henry Rohbach took place at 11 o'clock this morning at 181 East Lewis street, Rev. J. W. Lake, pastor of Calvary U. B. church, officiating. The ceremony was performed in the presence of but a few of the friends and relatives of the couple. Mr. Rohbach is an employe of the Bowser works.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hottel are in Columbia City visiting for a few days with the family of Prof. C. L. Hottel.

Mrs. John Clayton, of Huntington, visited Fort Wayne friends yesterday.

SUPT. STUDY IS RE-ELECTED

WILL HEAD CITY SCHOOLS FOR THREE YEARS MORE.

Prof. Lane Rescinds His Contract and is Chosen Principal of High School—His Letter.

Prof. Chester T. Lane rescinded his contract as superintendent of the Fort Wayne schools, made with the old school board a short time ago, and Prof. Justin N. Study was re-elected superintendent for the period of three years at an annual salary of $3,000. Prof. Lane was re-elected principal of the high school, a position which he has held for twenty-one years.

All this was accomplished at a meeting of the school board on Monday evening. Secretary Felts was not present and the business was transacted by President Hamilton and Treasurer Rockhill. Mr. Lane's letter offering to rescind his contract had been in the hands of the board several days and it reads as follows:

"Fort Wayne, Ind., June 14, 1900.—Gentlemen: It seems to be the general public opinion that Professor Study should be appointed superintendent of our public schools. While the appointment tendered me was unsolicited and came without any seeking or request on my part, and a valid contract has been executed, securing such appointment, still I sincerely feel that if public opinion demands Professor Study's appointment, you should not be embarrassed by the contract made with me.

"Therefore, I now offer to rescind the contract appointing me superintendent of our public schools.

"Respectfully,

"Chester T. Lane.

"To the Board of School Trustees of the City of Fort Wayne."

In accepting Mr. Lane's offer the board restored the salary of the superintendent to its former figure, $3,000, and then re-appointed Mr. Lane principal for one year at an unchanged salary of $1,800. Both contracts were closed last evening. It is understood that Prof. Study had an excellent offer to become superintendent of the city schools at Akron, Ohio, but this was declined when last evening's outcome was foreseen several days ago.

The only other business transacted by the board Monday evening was the reappointment of the present library force, with an additional member in the person of Miss Sarah Sturgis.

MR. ROCKHILL'S BOND.

W. W. Rockhill filed his bond of $250,000 as treasurer of the school board Monday with County Auditor Meyer. The names of the following gentlemen appear as bondsmen: J. W. White, Edward White, Max B. Fisher, William P. Breen, Alfred Hattersley, Samuel M. Foster, Chas. A. Wilding, George W. Pixley, A. B. Trentman, M. C. MacDougall, H. C. Rockhill.

CALEDONIAN GAMES.

At the regular meeting of the Caledonian society on Monday evening preliminary arrangements were made for the annual Scottish games to be given this year. The games will be held in Robinson park, probably in September, although the date has not been definitely settled. The Caledonian games are always interesting and the events this year will be fully up to the standard. Some special features will be introduced at the games this year.

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50 White Duck Suits, plain, made strong and wash well, worth $2.50, special price for this week, 98c suit.

500 Ladies' Shirt Waists, in Lawns, Dimities, etc, were 50c, go at the special price of 39c this week.

25 Plain White Silk Parasols, fully worth $2.00, for this week, $1 50 each.

25 White Silk Parasols with ruffles, the $2 00 kind, at $1 69 each.

Fine Silk Parasols, fancy covers with deep chiffon ruffles, were $2.90, at $2 38 each.

Colored Silk Umbrellas, can be used rain or shine, worth $1 90, at $1 50 each.

Black Silk Umbrellas, fine quality cover, usually sold for $1 50, at $1.00 each.

A fine line of Plain and Fancy Tuckings, for Shirt Waists, Yokes, etc, at 50c, 62 1-2c, 75c and $1.00 yard; every one worth 25c more on the yard.

Fancy Puffings, for Yokings or whole Waists, each piece marked extremely low in price for this week, at $1.00, $1.25, $1 39, $1 50 yard.

Silk Mitts, Ladies and Misses, the 39c number, for 25c a pair.

Silk Gloves, worth 50c and 65c, at 39c and 50c pair respectively.

Ladies' Wayne Knit Hosiery, in tan, the regular 25c brand, at 19c a pair, or 3 pair for 50c.

Ladies' Summer Underwear, fully worth 15c, for this week 10c each.

Porch Pillows, were 25c, for this week, 19c each.

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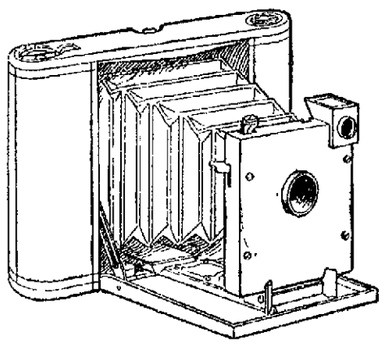

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C. D. Kyle, of Bluffton, transacted business in Fort Wayne yesterday.

Arthur Rotschild and Carl Nathan went to Huntington yesterday on their wheels and visited the family of David Marx.

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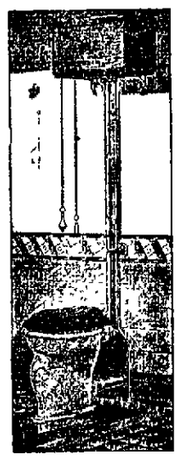

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LOCAL NEWS.

J. B. Pellen transacted business in Bluffton on Monday.

H. W. Ten Broeck is in Bluffton today on a business trip.

Miss Ella Anderson has returned from a visit in Kenton, Ohio.

H. I. McClellan, of Huntington, was a visitor in the city on Monday.

Ralph Lane returns from Ann Arbor tomorrow for the summer vacation.

Mrs. T. J. Guin, of Salida, Ohio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. D. Ohneck.

Master Roderick Fitch is in Huntington, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Reynolds.

The painters and decorators will hold a special meeting this evening in Olympia band hall.

Miss Grace Meek is home from Kendallville, where she spent Sunday with the Misses Brainerd.

Walter Barrett was in Ann Arbor on Monday, arranging to enter the college to take a law course this fall.

Mrs. A. M. Tower, of 463 South Webster street, entertained the South Side Aid society last evening at tea.

The Tailors' union received five new members last evening. Officers will be elected on Monday evening, July 2.

Attorney F. H. Kleecamp is in Ann Arbor, Mich., attending the reunion of the University of Michigan class of 1893.

The National Union will give a smoker and entertainment to members on the second Wednesday evening in July.

Ben Hur court No. 15 will elect officers next Monday evening. Three candidates were admitted to membership last night.

Mrs. Isabel Bradley is attending the commencement exercises at Bloomington university, where her daughter, Laura, is a student.

Misses Minna and Lillie Nestle and Misses Tilla and Olga Anderson are home from a visit with Misses Lizzie and Maggie Baade in Kendallville.

The ladies of the A. O. H. will hold their annual meeting this evening instead of Wednesday evening. The officers for the year will be elected.

There will be a most important meeting of Edwards camp, M. W. of A., this evening. The committee on uniforms will present their report.

Al Alter treated the Newsboys' union to a picnic at the park on Monday. The boys attended the theater and had a most pleasurable time.

Mrs. Ada Greenawald and baby, of Van Wert, Ohio, are in the city, the guests of Mrs. Greenawald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Donnell, of Walnut street.

Fort Wayne lodge, K. of P., No. 116, will confer the third degree upon several candidates this evening. A smoker will follow the lodge exercises.

Contractors Korte & Bruick have been awarded the contract for the construction of a $4,000 double brick veneer residence for Walter Miller, on West Main street.

Mrs. A. J. Elder, of Defiance, Ohio, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Bauer. Mrs. Elder was summoned home on account of the serious illness of her grandmother, Mrs. Martin.

Architects Kendrick & Bradley have completed plans for a residence for Dr. Chris Browand, of Garrett. The house will be a two-story frame structure containing six rooms and will cost about $1,700.

Lakeside residents have organized a club to be known as the Onion club. Members are not permitted to partake of any food but bread and butter and onions at a regular meeting of the club, on pain of suspension.

J. C. Altman, of Huntington, was in the city yesterday en route to Europe. He was accompanied by the Misses Josie and Mary Cox, who will accompany him as far as New York. They will sail from there to Antwerp.

The men's meeting at the R. R. Y. M. C. A. next Sunday will be in charge of the devotional committee and will be a song service and experience meeting. The Miller brothers will give special music, together with the regular Y. M. C. A. quartet.

The contract for the mason work on the new grain elevator to be erected at Garr Creek by the Woodburn Elevator campany was awarded to the firm of Wehrenburg & Buesching, contractors, of this city. The work of excavating and the foundation work will commence at once.

BICYCLE RACE.

An interesting bicycle race took place at 4:30 o'clock this morning on the Swinney park track between M. Reiling and Fred Ranke, of the Wayne Knitting mills, for a purse of $5. These riders are conceded to be the best in the mills and much interest was manifested in the race. Quite a number of friends of the two men were at the park this morning to witness the contest, which was very close. The total distance run was two and one-half miles, five times around the track, and the winner was Mr. Ranke, who came under the tape about three feet ahead of Mr. Reiling.

Miss Lillian Pierce is ill.

Clerks' union No. 288 will elect officers this evening.

J. C. Donaldson, a prominent Cleveland coal representative, is in the city.

C. L. Ayres, of Indianapolis, transacted business in the city on Monday.

Miss Dyke Beals, of Columbia avenue, who was seriously ill, is now rapidly improving.

Charles Wiersche has returned from Monmouth, Ill., and will accept a position in this city.

W. H. Harris, of the Woodburn Elevator company, is in the city today on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lehman are in Chicago to attend the wedding of Mrs. Lehman's brother.

J. E. Dalton this afternoon accepted a position in the office of the Berghoff Brewing company.

Landlord LaParle, of the Hotel Huntington, was registered at the New Aveline yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Meeker, of Grand Rapids, are visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mills.

Master Eugene Williams will go to Huntington to remain with his grandmother the remainder of the summer.

Charles Hughes, Carl Woodworth, Carl Diether and Ray Barrows are at Rome City on a two-weeks' camping expedition.

Mrs. H. O. Wilson and little daughter have returned from Huntington, where they were visiting Mrs. W. A. Zeller, sr., mother of Mrs. Wilson.

Prof. J. N. Study and J. F. Federspiel, of Fort Wayne council, No. 837, National Union, are attending a convention of that order at Richmond today.

The new Cecilian male chorus will give its initial concert this evening at Kimball hall and some of the best musical talent in the city will assist the chorus. Prof. Miles is in charge of the program and the event promises to be highly enjoyable.

THE NATIONAL PROHIBITION CONVENTION

At Chicago, Ill. The Nickel Plate Road will sell tickets on June 26th and 27th, good returning until the 29th, inclusive, at one fare for the round trip. Write, wire, 'phone or call on nearest agent or C. A. Asterlin, T. P. A., Fort Wayne, Ind.

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WILL MEET TONIGHT.

A meting of the Fort Wayne Fish and Game Protective society will be held in the rooms of the Commercial club this evening and at that time the work of perfecting the local organization will be completed. Much interest has been shown in the new movement and the society is certain to have a large membership.

BARBERS SELECT OFFICERS.

Fort Wayne Barbers' union No. 14 chose the following officers at a meeting held Monday evening: President, J. G. Werkman; vice president, Charles F. Hanker; recording secretary, N. G. Davidson; corresponding financial secretary, J. O. Hattery; treasurer, Henry Guenther; guide, Frank Reaser; guardian, B. F. Rollins; finance committee, Messrs. Sam Errington, Dudley Knight, Henry Hohman; trustees, Messrs. C. B. Bryson, William H. DeCamp, F. L. Holyes.

COFFEE COMPLEXION.

Many Ladies Have Poor Complexions From Coffee.

"Coffee caused dark colored blotches on my face and body. I had been drinking it for a long while and these blotches gradually appeared, until finally they became permanent and were about as dark as coffee itself.

"I formerly had as fine a complexion as any one could ask for.

"When I became convinced that coffee was the cause of my trouble, I changed and took to using Postum Cereal Food Coffee, and as I made it well, according to directions, I liked it very much, and have since that time used it entirely in place of coffee.

"I am thankful to say I am not nervous any more, as I was when I was drinking coffee, and my complexion is now as fair and good as it was years ago. It is very plain that the coffee caused the trouble. Please omit my name from public print." Mrs. ——, 2081 Ogden avenue, Chicago, Ill. The name of this lady can be given by the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

Most bad complexions are caused by some disturbance of the stomach and coffee is the greatest disturber of digestion known. Almost any woman can have a fair complexion if she will leave off coffee and use Postum Food Coffee and nutritious, healthy food in proper quantity. The food coffee furnishes certain parts of the natural grains from the field that nature uses to rebuild the nervous system and when that is in good condition one can depend upon a good complexion as well as a general healthy condition of the body.

OFFICERS CHOSEN.

Cigarmakers' union No. 37 elected the following officers on Monday evening: President, W. T. Jeffries; vice president, Levy Bender; financial and corresponding secretary, L. P. Sanders; recording secretary and treasurer, H. C. Coover; label custodian, W. Waltemath; sergeant-at-arms, George Humbrecht; finance committee, L. P. Allen, H. C. Hoeltje, A. Bertrand; trustees, H. Cohen, Augush Brandt, T. R. Spalding; executive board, Levi Bender, L. P. Sanders, H. C. Coover, C. Kreutzer, W. Waltemath.

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Destroying its victim is a type of Constipation. The power of this malady is felt on organs, nerves, muscles and brain. But Dr. King's New Life Pills are a safe and certain cure. Best in the world for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels. Only 25 cents, at Dreier Bros.' Drug Store.

Mrs. Clara Diana Stacy will give a health talk at Trinity M. E. church, corner Cass and Fourth streets, Wednesday, 3 p. m., subject, "The Responsibility of Life." All ladies interested are cordially invited.

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MEN'S SUITINGS.

Spring line now in at G. Schmidt's, Merchant Tailor, 57 E. Berry street. Phone 510. 27tf.

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FOR RENT—If you want money on household goods see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18tf

FOR RENT—Ten-room house after May 1st; all modern conveniences, at 142 East Berry street. Inquire at 140 East Berry street. 14tf

FOR RENT—Fourteen room residence on West Berry street; 3 well-located lots for sale cheap. Swayne & Swayne, 15 West Main street. 3-22-2m

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FOR RENT—Two desirable rooms at 110 W. Jefferson; one on first floor and one on second floor; can be arranged for two gentlemen or husband and wife. 19-4t

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FOR RENT—Eleven-room house at 50 West Wayne; all modern conveniences; ready for occupancy by the 11th of this month. Inquire at 44 West Wayne street. 4tf

FOR RENT—The three-story building at No. 14 West Main street, third building west of the Hamilton National bank. Inquire of S. B. Bond, at the Old National bank. 3-9-tf

FOR RENT—Two desirable cottages on Walloon or Bear Lake. Furnished for light housekeeping or convenient to boarding house. For terms address G. J. Robinson, Talcott, Mich. M21-1m

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WANTED—An office boy at 88 Clinton street. 19t2

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WANTED—A girl for general housework, also a nurse girl. Apply at Mrs. L. A. Centlivre's, 481 Spy Run ave. 18tf

WANTED—A boy about 18 years old who wants to study dentistry and who speaks German. Boston Dental Parlors, 74 Calhoun St. 18-2t

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WANTED—If you want money on your household furniture, horses, carriages, pianos and other like security on easy payments; everything left in your possession; call and see us. The Reliance Loan Co., Room 6, Arcade, upstairs; open every evening. 18-1mo

WANTED—All afflicted with a cough of long standing, resulting from la grippe or weak lungs, or hemorrhages, should try my cough and lung syrup, an old Indian remedy, made of roots and herbs; it has never been known to fail. Call at 35 Fairfield avenue. 24tf

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FOR SALE—Modern residence at 22 East DeWald; owner none-resident; desires an offer. W. E. Doud, Agent, Calhoun and Berry. 7-tf

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FOR SALE—Lot on East Madison street, on which there are two houses; will rent for $19.00 per month; price $2,200; free. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Ten lots, 30X183 feet, on Hanna street pavement, opposite Industrial park, for $2,100, subject to unpaid improvements. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Several nice building lots on W. Fourth street; price from $550 up; pavement paid. W. E. Doud, cor. Calhoun and Berry. 6tf

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FOR SALE—New residence on East Pontiac street; latest improvements; small payment wanted down, the rest in monthly payments. Inquire 173 East Pontiac street. 18-2t

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LOST.

LOST—Sunday afternoon while driving pearl beads with gold medal. Liberal reward will be paid for its return to this office.

LOST—Directory for Berry street M. E. church, on either Wilt, Lavina or Fairfield avenue. Finder leave at 26 W. Berry street and receive reward.

LOST—On Friday evening, about 4:30 o'clock between Hope hospital and the state institution, a small leather hand valise containing a pocketbook, some gloves and other articles. Finder will be rewarded. Call or address, superintendent Feeble Minded Youth. 18

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 1900.

READERS OF THE SENTINEL WHEN TAKING THEIR SUMMER VACATIONS, CAN HAVE THE PAPER SENT TO THEM FOR TEN CENTS A WEEK. THE ADDRESS WILL BE CHANGD AS OFTEN AS DESIRED.

TONIGHT.

Machinists—Regular meeting of Union No. 70 at Shamrock hall.

Plasterers—Regular meeting of Union No. 70, at No. 64 East Main street.

Clerks—Regular meeting of Union No. 288 at No. 27 East Berry street.

Stonecutters—Regular meeting of Fort Wayne branch at the corner of Main and Clinton streets, third floor.

Lodges—Grand Fraternity; Order of the Red Cross; Fort Wayne, No. 116, K. of P.; St. Julian Council No. 87, C. B. L.; Fort Wayne, No. 1, Daughters of Workmen; Edwards Camp, No. 3127, Modern Woodmen; Wayne Castle, No. 2, Knights of the Golden Eagle; Degree of Honor No. 2; Canton Fort Wayne, No. 17, Patriarchs Militant; Lodge of Perfection, A. A. S. R.; Home, No. 342, F. & A. M.; Allen, No. 29, Degree of Honor.

Picnic and Social—The Eintracht Singing society at Centlivre park.

The republican elephant has become almost wholly intractable on the question of the vice presidency and Mahout Hanna bids fair to be dumped from his howdah.

For a rough rider and broncho buster, habituated to do things strenuously if not violently, Governor Roosevelt is toying with the vice presidency in a fashion that betrays a delicate touch in politics.

The announcement that a "Boer plank" is to be inserted in the republican platform will cause smiles, if not laughter. That would be about as delicate a bit of political humor as that sardonic master of politics, Mark Hanna, could conceive. The republican chairman can leap from grave to gay with an ebullient readiness that is perfectly acrobatic, and never turn a hair or lose his place in the procession.

HE HONORS HIMSELF.

Prof. C. T. Lane's resignation from the superintendency of the Fort Wayne schools was in deference to that unanimous public sentiment which has regarded Superintendent Study's removal as altogether without cause and wholly unwarranted. The people of Fort Wayne have looked upon the removal of Superintendent Study as a proceeding that ought to be set aside if possible. Reorganization of the school board made it possible if Professor Lane would consent to abrogation of his contract with the former school board. Professor Lane has unselfishly risen to the occasion, putting the public schools and their welfare first in his consideration. It is no ordinary spirit of courage and unselfishness that is equal to such a sacrifice of financial considerations and personal ambition, for it might well be the ambition of Professor Lane or any instructor in the public schools of Indiana to attain to the superintendency of the Fort Wayne schools. The reappointment of Superintendent Study effectually stops further embittered and demoralizing agitation of the school question and gives tangible expression and imperative force to aroused and indignant public sentiment that has condemned from the very outset the summary dismissal of Superintendent Study. Professor Lane has honored himself and the people of Fort Wayne will, therefore, honor him. We believe that no opportunity to substantially express their high appreciation of his gracious and generous action will be allowed to pass unimproved by the citizens of this city. Meanwhile the whole distressing affair has been resolved into a state of complete settlement which there is no occasion to further disturb.

JUDGE BAKER IS PRESIDING

FEDERAL COURT CONVENED THIS MORNING.

Big Patent Suit Is Having a Hearing—Other Actions Are Disposed Of.

The June term of the United States district court convened this morning in the government building, with Hon. John H. Baker presiding. Other officials of the court in attendance are Noble C. Butler, clerk, of Indianapolis; Deputy Clerk T. J Logan, of this city, and Deputy United States Marshal E. O. Rose, of Angola. John A. Scott, John Soliday and Captain Heit, of this city, are officiating as bailiffs.

The greater portion of the day has been occupied in hearing the case of George E. Johnson et al. vs. John S. McCurdy. The action is a suit for infringement of patent, whereby Mr. Johnson and his associates in the Peerless Dental Cuspidor company, of this city, seek to enjoin Mr. McCurdy from using a dental cuspidor which is claimed to be an infringement upon the patents owned by the plaintiffs. Judge R. S. Taylor and Chapin & Denny appear for the plaintiffs, while Coburn, Hibben & McElroy, of Chicago, represent the defendants. Each contestant has submitted many models of the machinery in question to sustain his position, and it is likely the entire day will be occupied in this case.

The case of Seymour G. Smith vs. the City of Fort Wayne, an action for damages growing out of the purchase of the crematory, has been continued.

The suit of Herbert H. Thorpe et al. vs. Michael Frash, for commissions on the sale of bicycles, has been continued.

The Consolidated Store Service company vs. James H. Foley, an action on patent, has been continued.

The damage suit of Alva Brandon vs. the Minnesota Threshing company, has been dismissed.

Carl Zipernowsky vs. Fort Wayne Electric company, an action on patent matter, is continued.

In the case of Frank Long vs. W. H. Kiblinger company, Judge Baker issued a decree dismissing the bill for want of equity, at the costs of the complainant.

The action of George F. Eldred vs. William F. Kessler was dismissed for want of equity at complainant's cost.

John C. Hull vs. Milard W. Simons et al., a suit on bonds, was dismissed by Judge Baker at complainant's costs for failure to file amended bill.

William F. Kessler vs. Herbert J. Inks, action dismissed for want of equity.

George S. Eldred vs. Star Electric company; case is continued.

The case of the United States vs Edward L. Shell and William S. Compton was continued.

STEWART-ZURBUCH.

One of the largest weddings that has taken place at St. Patrick's Catholic church for some time was that of Miss May Stewart and Peter Zurbuch, which occurred at 9 o'clock this morning, Rev. Father Delaney officiating. The bride was attired in a most becoming costume of white organdie and carried a white prayer book. The bridesmaid was Miss Nonne Sullivan, of Chicago, who wore a pink costume and carried pink roses. The groomsman was Will Zurbuch. High mass was celebrated and the choir of St. Patrick's was assisted by a number of the soloists of the Cathedral, Carl Weber, Adolph Schulte, Frank Manuel, Barney Krull and Mr. Freiburger. A charming feature of the singing was the duet, "O Salutarius," sung by Barney Krull and Carl Webber, of the Cathedral. After the ceremony a wedding repast was served at the home of the bride's mother, after which Mr. and Mrs. Zurbuch left on their wedding trip to Cincinnati, Louisville, Chicago and other cities. They will be at home with the bride's mother after July 1.

A LIFE AND DEATH FIGHT.

Mr. W. A. Hines, of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery which wholly cured me. Hundreds have used it on my advice and all say it never fails to cure Throat, Chest and Lung troubles." Regular size 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at Dreier Bros.' drug store.

Mrs. J. S. Gililand, of Bluffton, spent Monday with Fort Wayne friends.

The Ladies' society of Westminster church will meet with Mrs. Griebel, 138 Wells street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

CIRCUS IS A CITY IN ITSELF

SEVENTY CARS HAUL SELLS-FOREPAUGH SHOWS.

A Small Army of People are Carried by this Mammoth Amusement Enterprise.

The combined Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' circuses are easily one of the most prominent institutions in the country. The following summary will convey an idea of its magnitude: The huge tented outfit is moved from town to town on seventy-four cars, all of which are sixty feet in length and require four of the most powerful locomotives ever built to haul them. These cars are owned by the show management and were built especially for them. Experts pronounce it the finest railroad equipment ever owned by a circus establishment. In addition to the cars used in transporting the show plant, there are four advance advertising cars, they, too, being the property of the circus.

The number of employes in various capacities is legion. The list is as follows: Twenty-five agents, 80 bill posters, 150 canvas men, 125 grooms, 40 property men, 20 wardrobe men 12 chandelier men, 40 razorbacks, or trainmen, 35 cook house men, 50 animal men, 15 dining car men, 12 sleeping car porters, 300 equestrians, acrobats, vaulters, gymnasts and other arenic performers, and Merrick's military band of 40 musicians. Then there are the jockeys and charioteers of the hippodrome. The executive staff accompanying the show is unusually complete. It includes a manager with eight assistants; a treasurer, with four assistants; a boss canvasman, with eight assistants; a boss hostler, with six assistants; a superintendent of transportation; a superintendent of menagerie; a museum superintendent, and two Pinkerton detectives. The side show and concert people number eighty-five.

The management of the Forepaugh-Sells federation is the only important circus aggregation that will visit this section of the country this season. Its only possible rival, the Barnum & Bailey show, is now in England. The route of Buffalo Bill's Wild West has been shaped so as not to include any towns played by Forepaugh and Sells.

There can be little hazard in predicting a right royal reception for the huge Forepaugh-Sells combination on the occasion of its visit here on Thursday.

MEMORIAL TRIBUTE.

Mary Maude Mains, wife of Frank J. Mains, and daughter of L. and J. M. Judy, was born April 19, 1873. She died June 10, 1900. The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. Charles E. White, Tuesday, June 12, when, followed by the dearest friends on earth, her silent form was taken to Geneva, Ind., and on the next day, after an appropriate address, the handsome casket, containing all that was mortal of this good woman, was placed to rest near the home of her childhood. She was beautiful in life and lovely in death, and now that she is gone our memory of her is sweet as the highest perfume.

She would have remained with us if she could have done it, for life was full of interest for her and her attachment for her friends was very strong. But her lips have been sealed in an unbroken silence and yet they seem to speak to us and tell us of the love she bore for us and to tell us whither she has gone. As long as she could talk to us she did it, and with her parting breath she tried to sing the praises of Jesus. And now we think it is only to us she is silent, for she still sings and that, too, in far nobler strains that she ever sang to us here. She still rejoices and that, too, in a more triumphant way than she ever rejoiced with us here. With all of this we think that she cannot be very far away. We listen for her, and yet we cannot hear her speak, and we look in vain and we cannot see her coming. But we shall see her some day. So we say, let the seasons come and go and our friends pass away, for we are only hastening to the time when, like she, we will leave this world of sorrow and wrapping the drapery of our dying couch around us lie down and fall into pleasant dreams and wake in glory. We believe that she has only gone before us and some sweet day we shall see her again.

We shall never know her any less than we do today and we shall never love her any less than in the sad hour we saw her leaving us with the gladness of victory in her soul for the shining thoughts of heaven. We want to say much in her favor. All her imperfections and faults, if she had them, are hidden from our view, and we see only her beautiful life and lovely character. She was a dutiful daughter. She was an ideal wife. She was a precious sister and she was a most interesting companion and friend. Truly, none knew her but will speak to her praise. And with all she was a humble follower of Jesus and it was in answer to the beaconing of the sweet angels of heaven that she left us and is now and forever with her Lord.

She was not afraid to die, but her last moments were crowned with praise and happiness. Those who saw her in her last hours could only wish to be as victorious as she when they come to this time.

We loved her much, but Jesus loved her more, and now she has a better home with Him than she could have had in any palace on earth. She left us with a parting blessing for each of us and since she has gone we cease not to think of her. In our thoughts we follow the way resplendent and bright, which she has taken; we unceasingly place love's offering upon her grave and we enshrine her name in our hearts forever.

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WILL MEET THIS EVENING.

Official announcement is made that the Bryan Soldier club is reorganizing and the request is made that all of the soldiers of the war of the rebellion and the Spanish-American war who espouse the principles as announced by William Jennings Bryan meet at the Jefferson club hall, in the Tri-State building, third floor, diagonally across from the postoffice, this evening at 7:30. The meeting tonight is for the purpose of perfecting the reorganization. It is announced that the young men of this club will be organized into a marching club and will be duly uniformed. The call is signed by H. W. Dickman, president ex-officio; Samuel Clark, secretary, ex-officio; Samuel M. Hench, John H. Rohan, Louis Schirmeyer, George A. Gale, R. C. Bell, George Turner, B. J. Ellert and C. J. Eckart.

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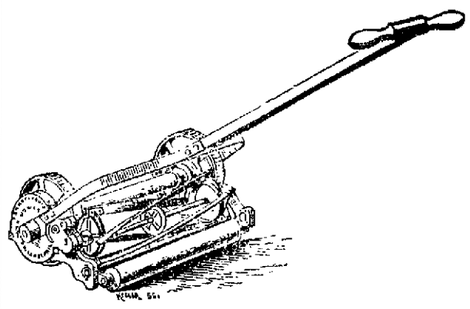

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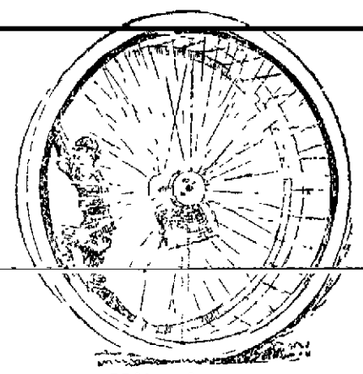

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CONVENTION IS OPEN

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plauded it with a cheer as they took their seats, Chairman Hanna remained standing. He lifted the ungainly gavel and brought it down with a resounding whack. Instantly all eyes were riveted upon him and a wave of applause swept the hall.

Chairman Hanna faced the storm of applause with a resolute face. His stern features did not relax, but he nodded an acknowledgment as the applause broke here and there into a cheer. When it had subsided he brought down the gavel again.

"The convention will come to order," he shouted at exactly 12:35.

"The convention will be opened with prayer," he continued, "by the Rev. J. Gray Bolton, of the Hope Presbyterian church of Philadelphia."

Chairman Hanna remained standing with bowed head while the divine came forward in the black robe to deliver his invocation. But the delegates in the pit remained seated and only here and there stood one. None of the spectators rose.

THE INVOCATION.

All, however, bowed their heads reverently while Rev. Bolton read his prayer from small slips of paper which he held in the hollow of his hand. He said:

"O, Thou who are a spirit infinite, eternal, unchangeable, in Thy being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness and truth. Thou art the sovereign God. The creator, ruler, disposer of us, and all that Thou hast made. Thy thoughts are not our thoughts, nor Thy ways our ways. Thy mercy is not limited to persons and to races, but comprehendeth all that live and breathe. Blessed be Thy name. Thy glory is shown and Thy kingdom established and advanced; in leading men and nations, by ways that they knew not to a land of security and peace. Oh, that men would praise Thee for Thy goodness and for Thy graciousness, and for Thy wonderful works to the children of men. We adore Thee for the way in which Thou hast led us. The glory and honor of our nation is the manifestation of Thy power and glory. Thou hast led us in ways not of our own choosing; ways best for us and most to Thy glory. May we cheerfully follow where Thou lead-

est. Thou hast been the God of our fathers. Thou art the God of their children. Our trust is in Thee. Save us, O Lord, from ingratitude and discontent. Give us the spirit of praise and thanksgiving. Grant that we, as a nation and a people, may remember Thy goodness and praise Thee for continued life and prosperity. O Lord, our God, let Thy richest blessing rest upon Thy servant, the president of these United States. Imbue him with a competency of Thy divine wisdom, that he may direct the affairs of the nation to Thy glory and the well being of all our people. We humbly beseech Thee, O Lord God, to bless all in authority. Sustain them in their responsible relations to Thee and a free people. O God of all wisdom and grace, grant unto this assembly wisdom, grace and guidance; that in all their deliberations and conclusions Thy name shall be glorified, the honor of this nation maintained and the peace and prosperity of the people established. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen."

As the prayer closed Senator Hanna was again on his feet, and adjusting his eye glasses, said in a resonant voice:

"The secretary of the national committee will now read the call for the convention."

As Colonel Dick stepped forward, call in hand, he was given a ripple of applause. He read the formal call, while the vast assemblage fretted for more vital issues.

HANNA TO THE FRONT.

Again Mr. Hanna was the center of attention. He left the presiding officer's table, and stepping to the front of the platform, surveyed the sea of faces and in a clear voice began his speech of welcome.

"In bidding you welcome," he began, "I also wish to congratulate you on the magnificent representation from the republican party."

There was a round of applause as Mr. Hanna rolled out the words "republican party."

"There was no mistake in bringing the convention to Philadelphia," Mr. Hanna went on. "Here was the cradle of liberty, the birthplace of the republic. Here also had the republican party seen its birth, and here, too, was the center of that great, throbbing idea—the protection of American industry.

Another wave of applause swept over the convention at this mention of the protective principle, and as it subsided Mr. Hanna proceeded:

"We are on the eve of another great struggle. Already we are beginning to form our battalions, under the leadership of our great statesman—General William McKinley."

A GREAT OUTBURST.

That was the signal and for the first time the convention broke forth in a whirlwind of enthusiasm. Men and women sprang to their feet, delegates, spectators, staid old distinguished guests, all animated by a common purpose to do honor to the president. Senator Hanna looked down in smiling satisfaction at the great demonstration. Flags and handkerchiefs waved everywhere in billows of color. For ten seconds, twenty, thirty, a minute, the demonstration kept up, and then, with a wave of the hand, the national chairman bid the assemblage resume their seats and let him proceed.

"I was about to give the order for those battalions to move, but you interrupted me," said Mr. Hanna, jocularly, and the applause was turned to laughter. Again Mr. Hanna evoked a demonstration when, speaking of the approaching campaign, he declared:

"And with such a leader and such a cause, there is no such word as fail."

As Mr. Hanna closed his speech with a tribute to his colleagues on the national committee and a reference to the close of his chairmanship, he spoke of the sterling service of the senator from Colorado, Mr. Wolcott, to his party and presented him to the convention as temporary chairman.

CHAIRMAN HANNA'S ADDRESS

Chairman Hanna addressed the convention as follows:

"Gentlemen of the Convention. In bidding you welcome I also desire to extend congratulations upon this magnificent gathering of republicans of the great republican party. (Applause). The national committee made no mistake when they brought the national convention to the city of Philadelphia. (Applause) This city, the cradle of liberty (applause), the birth-place of the republican party (applause), this magnificent industrial center, a veritable beehive of industry, what fitter object lesson could be presented to those of us who have gathered here to witness the success of that principle of our party which has been its foundation, the protection of American industries? (Applause). This city that has long and always been known the country over for its unbounded hospitality (applause) and the superb management of all great functions which have come within its limits. On the part of the national committee I desire to extend their sincere thanks to the people of Philadelphia, and especially to your honorable mayor (applause), and those loyal citizens, without regard to party, who have labored with him to make this convention a success. Never in the history of conventions of either political party has a success been greater. Delegates, I greet you on the anniversary in Philadelphia of our party. (Applause). I need not remind you that your duty here is one of deliberate judgment; one that you are held responsible for, not only by your party, but the country. We are called together once more upon the eve of another great struggle.

BATTALIONS FORMING.

"We are now beginning to form out battalions under leadership of our great statesman, General William McKinley. (Continued applause). I was about to give the order for those battalions to move, but you interrupted me. (Laughter). It needs no order to republicans when they scent from afar the smoke of battle; it needs no incentive, men that sit in front of me, to tell them what their duty is. Upon the foundation of our party rests the belief and strength of every member of it.

"Before I lay aside my gavel and retire from the position which I have held as chairman of the national committee for four years I desire, in this presence, in the most public manner, to return my sincere thanks to every member of this splendid committee who stood by me in the struggle of 1896, and especially to that coterie who gathered at the headquarters in New York and Chicago and worked from early morning until late at night for the principles of the republican party and for the welfare of their country. I leave it in the hands of others to tell you what that meant, but in passing to others those duties, I want to make one suggestion, always trust the people (applause), and leave as an inheritance to them the motto of the committee of 1896—'there is no such word as fail.' (Applause).

"And now, gentlemen, it becomes my duty and very great pleasure to present as your temporary chairman Senator Wolcott, of Colorado."

OVATION FOR WOLCOTT.

Senator Fairbanks, from the first row of delegates, arose and moved that the selection of Senator Wolcott as temporary chairman be approved and with unanimous voice the delegates so voted.

Senator Wolcott, who was on the platform, arose and came forward. The appearance of the Colorado orator set the convention off like a rocket. Senator Wolcott is still a young man, somewhat jaunty in appearance. He wore a blue sack suit and white vest. There was elasticity in his step as he bowed low to the convention and there was something about him which suggested the freshness of his mountain home.

SENATOR WOLCOTT'S SPEECH.

With a pleasant nod of acknowledgement to Chairman Hanna, he turned and addressed the convention. He spoke in part as follows:

Since the first party convention in these United States, there was never one gathered together under such hopeful and auspicious circumstances as those which surround us today. United, proud of the achievements of the past four years, our country prosperous and happy, with nothing to regret and naught to make us ashamed, with a record spotless and clean, the republican party stands facing the dawn, confident that the ticket it shall present will command public approval, and that in the declaration of its principles and its purposes, it will voice the aspirations and hopes of the vast majority of American freemen.

We need "no omen but our country's cause" yet there is significance in the fact that the convention is assembled in this historic and beautiful city, where we first assumed territorial responsibilities when our fathers, a century and a quarter ago promulgated the immortal Declaration of Independence.

The spirit of justice and liberty that animated them found voice three quarters of a century later in this same City of Brotherly Love, when Fremont led the forlorn hope of united patriots who laid here the foundations of our party and put human freedom as its corner-stone. It compelled our ears to listen to the cry of suffering across the shallow waters of the gulf two years ago. While we observe the law of nations and maintain that neutrality which we owe to a great and friendly government, the same spirit lives today in the genuine feeling of sympathy we cherish for the brave men now fighting for their homes in the veldts of South Africa. It prompts us in our determination to give to the dusky races of the Philippines the blessings of good government and republican institutions, and finds voice in our indignant protest against the violent suppression of the rights of the colored man in the south. That spirit will survive in the breasts of patriotic men as long as the nation endures and the events of the past have taught us that it can find its fair and free and full expression only in the principles and policy of the republican party.

The first and pleasant duty of this great convention, as well as its instinctive impulse, is to send a message of affectionate greeting to our leader and our country's president, William McKinley. In all that pertains to our welfare in times of peace his genius has directed us. He has shown an unerring mastery of the economic problems which confront us, and has guided us out of the slough of financial disaster, impaired credit and commercial stagnation, up to the high and safe ground of national prosperity and financial stability. Through the delicate and trying events of the late war he stood firm, courageous and conservative, and under his leadership we have emerged triumphant, our national honor untarnished, our credit unassailed, and the equal devotion of every section of our common country to the welfare of the republic cemented forever. Never in the memory of this generation has there stood at the head of the government a truer patriot, a wiser or more courageous leader, or a better example of the highest type of American manhood. The victories of peace and the victories of war are alike inscribed upon his banner. Those of us whose pleasure and whose duty have called us from time to time into his presence, know how freely he has spent and been spent in his country's service: but the same vigorous manhood and clear and patriotic vision animate him as of old, and give us confidence and trust for the future of our republic, because his hand will guide us, and his genius direct.

So many events of great portent have been crammed into the past months that we are apt to judge and measure the work of this administration chiefly by the occurrences since the outbreak of the Spanish war. It is worth while for us to recall earlier days.

After recounting the nomination of the republican ticket at St. Louis four years ago and paying a glowing tribute to the late Vice President Hobart, Senator Wolcott proceeded to a review of the three years and more of the McKinley administration. President McKinley, he said, had taken the reins of government after four years of democratic administration, backed by a democratic congress. He assailed the Cleveland administration for the selling of bonds and charged the great panic of 1893 and the widespread industrial distress and commercial depression to the Cleveland administration. Facing these conditions, he said, the McKinley administration began. The Dingley tariff law had restored prosperity and today there was not an idle mill in the country. Mortgages on western farms had been paid by thousands and the figures that illustrated the growing prosperity of the four years of republican administration "well nigh staggered belief." Senator Wolcott reviewed the measures passed during the present administration, enumerating the bankruptcy law, the acquisition of Hawaii and the settlement of the Union Pacific railroad's obligations to the government. Adverting to trusts Senator Wolcott said:

Whenever a republican administration is in power there is constant talk of trusts. The reason isn't far to seek. Aggregations and combinations of capital find then only encouragement in prosperous days and widening commerce. Democratic administration in this country has universally meant industrial stagnation and commercial depression, when capital seeks a hiding place instead of investment. The republican party has always maintained that any combination having for its purpose the cornering of a market or the raising or controlling of the price of the necessaries of life was unlawful and should be punished, and a commission appointed by the president under act of congress has made careful investigation and will soon present a full report of the best method of dealing with this intricate question. We shall meet it in some efficient way and, as a party, shall have the courage to protect every class of our citizens. There was never a better time to deal with it than now, when there isn't in this broad land a man will ing to work who doesn't find employment at fair wages, and when the clamor of the agitator who seeks confiscation and not regulation, falls on dead ears and finds no response from the artisans in our busy work shops.

The campaign four years ago was fought on the currency question. The populist democracy insisted that the United States alone should embark on the free coinage of silver at the ration of 16 to 1, without waiting the concurrence of any other nation. The republican party insisted that the question of bimetalism was international, and that until it should be settled under agreement with the leading commercial nations of the world, gold bond continue to be the standard of value in these United States. Upon that issue we triumphed. In accordance with the pledge of the party an honest effort was made to reach some international solution of the question. The effort failed of accomplishment. The mints of the countries of Europe were open for the coinage of gold alone.

Through the policy of the republican party and the wisdom of a republican administration, we have not only made stable and permanent our financial credit, at home and abroad, are utilizing more silver as money than ever before in our history, but we have left the populist democracy a dead issue they can never again galvanize into life, and compelled them to seek to create new issues growing out of a war which they were most eager to precipitate.

May I, a western man, add another word? The passage of this bill, which received the vote of every western republican in congress, marked the termination, forever final, of any sort of difference between republicans of the east and of the west, growing out of currency problems. Even if the stern logic of events had not convinces us, our deep and abiding loyalty to the principles of the party, our belief that the judgment of its majority should govern, would lead us to abandon further contention. And the thousands of republicans in the west who left us four years ago are returning home. The men of the far west are bone of your bone, and flesh of your flesh. The sun that shines on you blesses them also, and the shadow before your door darkens their homes as well. They are naturally expansionists in the western plains and mountains, and when they see a great political party attacking the integrity of the nation, and lending encouragement to insurrectionists, who are shooting down our soldiers and resisting the authority of the United tSates, all other questions fade and are forgotten, and they find themselves standing shoulder to shoulder in the ranks of the republican party keeping step, always, to the music of the Union.

This is the brief account of our stewardship for four years. During a portion of that period we were involved in a war that for a time paralyzed business and commerce, and would have taxed heavily the resources and credit of any other country than ours and for the past year or more we have been employing an army of some 50 000 men in suppressing an insurrection against our authority 8 000 miles away. No industry has felt the strain of these extraordinary expenses, nor have they affected the general sum of our prosperity. More than that, the conditions resulting from the legislation of the past four years have obliterated every issue that was raised during the last campaign. The democracy having therefore to find some rallying cry, seek it in the results of our late war with Spain, and upon that question as upon all others, we stand ready to meet them in the open.

We assumed dominion of Porto Rico, Cuba and the Philippines for reasons differing as to each of them.

We took to ourselves the little island of Porto Rico because it lay under the shadow of our own shores, and because its continued occupancy by Spain or by any foreign government would be a constant menace to the States and to that great inter-oceanic waterway which we shall build and own and operate as an American canal. We found it impoverished by years of colonial misgovernment and without any system of revenue laws. Soon after the peace its people were further stricken by flood and famine. We assumed towards them every obligation which sympathy and friendship could prompt. We contributed as a nation large sums of money to ameliorate their condition and to enable them to plant and gather their crops. Then we said to them, We shall give you a just and equitable form of free government, with power to manage your home affairs. Until you shall devise proper and efficient methods of revenue and taxation, your needed funds shall be raised as follows: You shall pay upon your imports 15 per cent. of the present tariff rate governing importations into the United States, which means an average duty of about 7 per cent. All the necessaries of life and building materials for the structures you need shall be free. On the 1st day of March, 1902, all these duties shall cease in any event, and shall cease sooner if before that time you can arrange for the needed revenues of the island.

The recommendations of the president were fully and satisfactorily complied with the people of the island are content, the vast mass of the American people approve and we have avoided precedents that might vex us when we come to deal with the problems that finally await us in the establishment of our permanent relations towards the people of the Philippine Islands.

There has been much discussion during the past few months in respect to the extent of the power of this country to deal with Porto Rico and our other possessions, and it has been frequently contended by the democracy that as soon as we became the owners of any of these islands the Constitution of the United States at once extended over them, or in the oratorical but misleading phrase "The Constitution follows the Flag." The argument is specious, but it will not bear investigation. The same question was raised in 1803, at the time of the Louisiana purchase, and the doctrine then established by congress that we could acquire foreign soil by purchase, that congress had the right to establish there such government as it saw fit, and that the constitution did not of its own force extend over such territory. The doctrine was never questioned until in Calhoun's time it was sought to be denied in the effort to extend human slavery into the territories.

The circumstances associated with our possession of Cuba are new and unparalleled in the history of conquests. The cruelties practiced upon its people induced the war. Before we commenced hostile proceedings, however, and that the world might know that our hands were clean and that we were not animated by lust for territory, we solemnly disclaimed any disposition or intention to exercise sovereignty, jurisdiction, or control over the island except for its pacification, and asserted our determination, when that was accomplished to leave the government and control of the island to its people. To this declaration we still rigorously adhere.

And in this connection it is fitting to say that the peculations and frauds committed in Cuba by subordinate officials have made every American blush with shame, and until the last of the guilty men is arrested and convicted and sentenced that shame will know no abatement. It is no more to be charged to the party than would a theft by a trusted employe be charged against the character of the merchant who employed him. The party that shields and protects dishonest officials forfeits public confidence, not the party that exposes and punishes them. The republican party has been rarely the victim of misplaced confidence in its officials. In this instance the appointments were made with the greatest care many of them from the classified service. Whenever fraud has been discovered the guilty have been pursued unsparingly and with the greatest publicity. So it has been with these thieving post office officials, so has it been always.

Had there been no war with Spain this republic inclined by principle and instinct and tradition to peaceful ways, would have continued the development of our national resources and character within its existing borders, content in the future, as through out the century just ending, with that path of national duty. We are not a warlike or a quarrelsome people. We have never coveted the possessions of foreign principalities and land lust is unknown among us. We would fight to the death to protect that which is rightfully ours to avenge a wrong sought to be perpetrated upon us and to guard this hemisphere from any attempt by foreign powers to further extend their rule over its soil. This has been our creed, and we have looked forward with hope and with confidence to the time when these United States, lying between the two oceans, should lead among the nations of the earth, not by right of the sword, but because the character and high intelligence of our people, and the marvelous resources of our country, would enable us, in the peaceful rivalry of commerce, to dominate eventually the markets of the world. To that end we had for more than a hundred years held ourselves aloof from foreign complications, and sought to make ourselves strong from within, with no thought of colonial conquest.

The future of nations however like the future of man, is hid from mortal vision, and no more than man may a nation choose its own duties. When this war ended and we faced our victory in all its completeness, we found eight millions of people living upon uncounted islands delivered into our hands. Abandonment of them would be confession that while the oppression by Spain of a million and a half of Cubans demanded our armed interference, greater barbarity and cruelty to millions of Filipinos less able to protect themselves, was a subject of no concern to us. No civilized nation in the world, no Christian nation could have turned these people back to Spain. Our commissioners when they insisted upon the retention of the Philippines voiced the sentiments and wishes of the American people and this nation has assumed with open eyes and with full realization of the difficulties which may be encountered, the grave responsibilities imposed upon us by the treaty of Paris.

We are told that the islands are rich in all the products of the tropics, in mineral wealth, and in the possibilities of their future development. So much the better. But if they were as barren as the Libyan desert, we would have taken them just the same.

We haven't been there long, but long enough to reach two conclusions. One is, that the first thing we intend doing is to suppress the Tagal insurrection and to establish law and order throughout the archipelago. That is the first thing we shall do. And the last, the very last thing we intend doing is to consider, even for a moment, the question of giving up or of abandoning these islands.

We are actually owners of the Philippines by an undisputed and indubitable title. We are there as the necessary and logical outcome of our victory over Spain. There are upwards of a thousand islands sprinkled upon that southern sea, peopled by more than eighty tribes of different race and language, and having absolutely nothing in common with each other. Most of these tribes welcome our coming and are grateful for our protection. The Tagal tribe, hostile not only to us but to most of the native tribes, are in insurrection against our authority. They have neither a government nor the capacity to conduct one, and are waging a predatory guerilla warfare which would be turned against the other native tribes if we let them alone. What would the democracy have us do? Give them up to rapine and bloodshed, and leave the islands as flotsam and jetsam on the face of the waters? There are parallels in our own history. We purchased Florida from Spain in 1821, when it had four thousand white settlers, for five millions of dollars, and other valuable considerations. The Seminoles, natives of the soil, brave, resolute having far greater intelligence and character than the Tagals disputed our possession. We sent Andrew Jackson down to fight them, and it took us twenty-one years to subdue them and send what was left of them west of the Mississippi. If the 'anti-everythings' had lived then, they would I suppose, have urged us to turn over Florida to Osceola, the Aguinaldo of the Seminoles. Would you, after the war with Mexico and the Gadsden purchase, have given the great area south and west of the Arkansas to the red Apache? Not so did our fathers construe their duty, as they built, so shall we, their sons.

The insurrection against our legitimate authority, which for the time, impedes our efforts to establish a government for the Philippines, involves us in a sacrifice of lives and of treasure. The difficulties we encounter in the island of Luzon are many, but the chief inspiration and encouragement of the Tagal insurrection come from the democratic headquarters in the United States. Partisanship has proved stronger than patriotism, even while our soldiers are being murdered by marauding bandits, and if it were not for the hope held out to Aguinaldo by American sympathizers the insurrection in the Philippines would long ago have ended.

Never since '64, when the voters of the country were called upon to determine whether the efforts of Abraham Lincoln to preserve the Union should be continued, or whether they should be abandoned and other measures attempted, have questions so vital been presented to the American people for settlement. Their decision must determine the maintenance or the degradation of both our national credit and our national honor. A democratic president could paralyze the operation of the new currency law as effectively as if it were wiped from our statute books. A democratic victory would infuse new life into the Tagal insurrection cost us the lives of thousands of our gallant army in the Philippines, impair or destroy our prestige, if not our power, in the islands make us a byword among the other great nations of the world, and obliterate our influence in the settlement of the vital questions certain to arise when China shall be opened to foreign commerce.

There is little room for fear. The farmer and the artisan in their day of prosperity still remember the impoverishment and blight of democracy and the Chicago platform has no allurements for them. Our national honor is equally secure.

The American people are neither pollyanns nor pessimists and they will not signalize the dawn of the new century by the surrender of either convictions or territory. Every soldier back from the islands, and they are in almost every hamlet in the land, returns an advocate of their retention. Our dead are buried along the sands of Luzon and on its soil no foreign flag shall ever salute the dawn.

Whatever may be in store for us in the new and unbeaten track upon which we are entering we shall not be found "with the unlit lamp and the ungirt loin." Our way is new but it is not dark. In the readjustment of world conditions where we must take our place with the other great nations of the earth we shall move with caution, but not with fear. We seek only to lift up men to better things, to bless and not to destroy. The fathers of the republic accepted with courage such responsibilities as devolved upon them. The same heavens bend over us, and the same Power that shielded them will guard and protect us for what we seek is to build still more firmly always upon foundations of probity and of virtue the glorious edifice of the republic.

We stand at the dawn of the new century. Before it shall have reached its meridian the youngest here will have passed beyond this life or beyond the sphere of usefulness. New recruits will step into the ranks as we fall out. This very year thousands of young men will for the first time exercise the right of citizenship and cast their ballots at the national election. The safety of this republic must ever rest in "the courage of young hearts and the vigor of a noble manhood." Youth is buoyant and hopeful. No snarling criticism, or gospel of a little America, or prophecy of despair, will find response from hearts that beat full and strong with courage and with faith, and whose creed it is that

"God's in His heaven,
All's right with the world."

Whatever else in the past has suffered change or decay the republican party, which for forty years has been identified with everything ennobling and uplifting in our history, was never as vital, as virile, and as vigorous as today. And the heritage we shall transmit to the new century, to the coming generation and to their children, and to their children's children, shall be a record clean and untarnished, an unquenchable faith in free institutions, an unalterable belief in the patriotism of the people, and an undying love of liberty and of country.

Mr. Wolcott received many hearty hand shakes from those about him, and then turned to the business of the convention, announcing the long list of secretaries and officials previously agreed upon.

TEMPORARY OFFICERS.

The following list of temporary officers was announced:

Temporary Secretary—Charles W. Johnson, of Minnesota.

Assistant Secretaries—John R. Malloy, Ohio; John R. Beam, New Jersey; Lucien Gray, Illinois; Gardner P. Stickney, Wisconsin; James F. Burke, Pennsylvania; W. B. Bochman, Tennessee; Warren Bigler, Indiana; John E. Royce, Kansas; F. S. Gayloid, Connecticut.

Reading Clerks—Dennis E. Alward, Michigan; E. L. Lampson, Ohio; James H. Stone, Michigan.

Clerk at President's Desk—Asher C. Kinds, Maine.

Official Reporter—M. W. Blumenberg, District of Columbia.

Tally Clerks—J. C. Potts, New Jersey; George B. Butlin, Nebraska.

THE MAN FROM KENTUCKY.

There was a momentary lull, and then Mr. Wolcott, gazing out at the assemblage, said:

Every eye was turned toward the center of the hall, where a tall, gaunt, black-garbed figure, with the swarthy face of an Indian, stood with a paper in hand, awaiting a pause in the hurrah which his name had evoked.

"Come to the platform, governor, they want to see you," called out Mr. Wolcott.

The much discussed man from Kentucky moved up the middle aisle to the platform. There was a cheer as Senator Wolcott advanced to greet him. There was momentary silence as the convention waited, apparently expecting a speech echoing some of the recent dramatic incidents in Kentucky. But instead of that, in piping voice, Governor Taylor seconded the nomination of the various officials, who had been announced, and this done took his seat. The nominations were made unanimously.

Mr. Payne, of New York, announced the chairmen. Again all eyes turned to the center of the hall, where, this time, the silver topped form of the chairman of the ways and means committee was seen. He moved that the rules of the last convention prevail until other rules were adopted, and this prevailed without dissent.

The call of states for the submission of members for the various committees then began. It proved a tedious process, and the convention was virtually in recess as the names were handed in.

ROOSEVELT HOLDS LEVEE.

While the lists were brought to the stage Governor Roosevelt was holding a regular levee in the pit. Delegates swarmed toward him from all directions. Ex-Senator Quay was one of those who greeted him warmly. The New Mexico delegates, with broad sombreros, climbed over seats in their eagerness to get to him and shake his hand. Chauncey Depew and the other delegates of the New York delegation were ignored.

People leaning ovr the rails of the pit watcher his every movement and many of the delegates climbed on to their chairs and watched the crowd eddy around him.

When order had been restored after the confusion incident to this scene Mr. Wolcott announced that the secretary would read the lists of the various committees. These committees, he announced, could meet immediately after the adjournment of todya's session of the convention.

The clerk read the list in a voice which did not carry fifty feet from the stage, and the spectators, who usually applaud the names of the popular party leaders as they are called, were denied this pleasure of paying tribute to their favorites.

Not a single name was applauded. When the list had been read Representative Cannon, of Illinois, was recognized to move an adjournment until tomorrow. Rev. Edgar M. Ely, who delivered the invocation at the first republican convention in this city forty-four years ago, today, white haired and feeble, delivered a benediction upon the convention.

The whole convention arose to receive his blessing and then at exactly 3 o'clock the convention adjourned until noon tomorrow.

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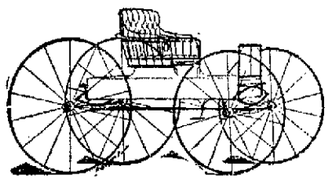

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	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Wheeling	27	16	.628
Dayton	27	18	.600
Fort Wayne	29	21	.580
Toledo	27	20	.574
New Castle	24	25	.490
Mansfield	20	27	.426
Columbus	18	29	.383
Youngstown	15	31	.326

James J. Jefferies, champion pugilist, was the attraction which drew a crowd of more than 1,300 people to the base ball park yesterday. While the champion was the main attraction to many there were others who cared more to see a pretty clean game of base ball than all the plug-ugly pugilists on the face of the globe. These "fans" were repaid for their attendance by seeing the poorest exhibition of ball given at the local park since the team returned from its last trip. Cooke and Jefferies were the umpires, the champion deciding the plays at first and second bases. He had one or two close decisions, but none of the players objected when he gave them against them. Swaim was pitted against "Smiling" Pete Daniels and, although he had been in the box twice before in four days the long fellow was very effective until the Fort Waynes had "cinched" the game. He allowed two little singles, one of them a scratch, in six innings, but in the seventh, with the score 9 to 0, "Cy" let down and the Senators scored six runs in the last three innings, while Fort Wayne accumulated three to add to the nine scored earlier in the game. An error or two helped the Senators score this half dozen runs. The fielding of both teams was slovenly, but the batting of the Hoosiers was good enough to win several games. The story of the contest is best told in the following score:

FORT WAYNE.

	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Krueger, ss	3	3	1	1	3	1
Brashear, 1b	4	0	1	11	0	0
Letcher, cf	6	3	3	4	0	0
Miller, rf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Belden, lf	5	2	3	3	0	0
Babb, 3b	4	1	1	1	1	1
Holly, 2b	4	1	2	3	1	1
Bergen, c	4	1	2	4	3	0
Swaim, p	5	0	0	0	3	1
Totals	40	12	15	27	11	4

COLUMBUS.

	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Bradley, cf	4	1	1	0	0	0
O'Connor, 1b	5	0	1	9	0	0
Breen, 3b	5	0	1	6	2	1
McCann, lf	5	1	1	1	0	1
Robinson, ss	4	0	2	4	1	1
Beville, c	4	1	2	1	0	1
Williams, 2b	4	1	1	3	3	0
Lynch, rf	4	1	0	3	1	0
Daniels, p	4	1	1	0	1	1
Totals	39	6	10	27	8	5

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Fort Wayne	0	6	0	1	0	0	2	3	0	—12
Columbus	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	1	—6

Earned runs—Fort Wayne, 5; Columbus, 2. Two-base hits—Letcher, Miller, Belden, Williams, O'Connor, McCann. Three-base hits—Miller, Belden. Sacrifice hits—Brashear, Miller, Bergen. Stolen bases—Miller, Krueger, 3. Left on bases—Fort Wayne, 10; Columbus, 6. First base on balls—Off Swaim, 1; off Daniels, 4. Hit by pitched ball—By Daniels, 2. Struck out—By Swaim, 6. Passed ball—Beville. Double plays—Lynch and O'Connor; Breen and O'Connor; Krueger to Brashear. Umpires—Cooke and Jeffries. Time of game—1:45. Attendance—1,334.

OTHER INTER-STATE GAMES

DAYTON, 9; MANSFIELD, 4.

Dayton, O., June 19.—Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Dayton	2 1 0 0 1 0 0 5 0	9	20	5
Mansfield	0 0 0 1 0 3 0 0 0	4	5	0

Batteries—Gilpatrick and Donahue; Irwin, Ames and Fox.

NEW CASTLE, 8; WHEELING, 5.

Wheeling, W. Va., June 19.—Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Wheeling	3 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	5	12	5
New Castle	0 0 3 0 3 0 1 1 *	8	6	0

Batteries—Pardee and Boyd; Thomas and Williams.

TOLEDO, 10; YOUNGSTOWN, 3.

Toledo, O., June 19.—Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Toledo	0 1 0 0 0 2 1 0 0	10	14	1
Youngstown	0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	3	6	3

Batteries—Joss and Arthur; Crowe and Hess.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Philadelphia	30	16	.652
Brooklyn	29	16	.644
Pittsburg	24	26	.480
Chicago	22	24	.478
Boston	20	23	.465
St. Louis	21	25	.457
Cincinnati	19	26	.422
New York	18	25	.419

GAMES YESTERDAY.

Pittsburg, 4; Chicago, 1.
Philadelphia, 2; New York, 1.
Brooklyn, 6; Boston, 3 (11 innings).
Cincinnati, 9; St. Louis, 8.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Indianapolis	29	16	.644
Chicago	30	20	.600
Milwaukee	28	22	.560
Minneapolis	28	24	.538
Cleveland	24	23	.511
Kansas City	25	28	.472
Buffalo	18	31	.367
Detroit	15	32	.319

GAMES YESTERDAY.

White Stockings, 4; Milwaukee, 1.
Buffalo, 8; Indianapolis, 1.
Minneapolis, 5; Kansas City, 4.

CONCORDIANS' CHALLENGE.

The Concordians challenge any organized amateur team of this city with whom they have not yet crossed bats this season for a game next Saturday afternoon, June 23. Answer immediately. C. W. Baer, manager.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

The Madison Blues defeated the Cubas by a score of 17 to 14.

The South Side Maroons defeated a picked team of the west end by a score of 31 to 5.

Jack Glasscock's batting average since joining Sioux City is .546; fielding average, 1,000.

"Doggie" Miller, Letcher and Belden had on their batting clothes yesterday and drove in most of Fort Wayne's runs.

Stahl did some great fielding yesterday, accepting nine chances in left field. He captured eight flies and participated in a double play, catching a runner at the plate.

The Orioles, composed of youngsters who live on Spy Run, would like to hear from any team whose players are not over eighteen years of age. Address Capt. H. Eikerle, care of Sentinel.

In the game played last Saturday the Hoagland school team defeated the Jefferson school team by a score of 40 to 4. The feature of the game was the wonderful pitching of Erickson, who struck out seventeen of the Jefferson schools in six innings and then retired in favor of Cook. Batteries—Hoaglands, Erickson, Cook and Howey; Jeffersons, Lopshire, Hirsch, Bohn and Jefferies.

The Columbus and St. Louis sporting writers still talk of Harper as a "farm hand." Harper belongs to Fort Wayne now as much as any other player and St. Louis has no further hold on him than any other club, except that when he was released to President Mautner he agreed that the Robisons should be given the first chance to sign the young man if he improved in his work during the season. He was released through Nick Young and signed to a regular Inter-State contract.

Con Strouthers is umpiring the games at Toledo. Fort Wayne people who saw the games Sunday say that he is about the worst that has happened. President Power should send Strouthers to the woods at once. He has a record in the Inter-State that the club managers do not admire and in Fort Wayne he has no friends at all. The league had four good umpires in Colgan, Caruthers, Cooke and Johnstone and if President Power would follow President Ban Johnson's course and pay no attention to protests the Inter-State would be much better off.

PATIENT GOES HOME.

J. A. Bevard was discharged from Hope hospital this morning and at noon left for his home at Garrett. Mr. Bevard is the gentleman who submitted to a very rare surgical operation a short time ago. His nose was sawed off and a cancerous tumor removed from his head, after which the nose was replaced. Mr. Bevard is recovering nicely. The nose has grown firmly upon the head and within a short time only a faint scar will remain as a memento of the delicate operation.

WORK BEGINS THURSDAY.

The commission of Philip L. Zorbaugh, as special census agent, arrived this morning and on Thursday Mr. Zorbaugh will begin the work of collecting manufacturing and industrial statistics in the city under the authority of the census department. He will be assisted by Louis C. Graham, of Decatur, and Bernhard Clapham, of Columbia City. Mr. Zorbaugh also has charge of similar work at Bluffton, Decatur and Columbia City.

EASTERN STARS GO.

Shiloh chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, is enjoying its annual excursion to Robison park this afternoon and evening. The first party of excursionists left the transfer corner shortly after the noon hour and others have been following at intervals during the entire afternoon. The Stars will remain for the theatrical performance this evening.

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THE MARKETS.

Chicago, June 19.—There was a large trade in wheat today, but the feeling was nervous and the fluctuations were wide. July opened ½@¾c under yesterday at 78⅜ to 78⅞c, rose to 79¼c and sold off to 77½c. Reports from the northwest were as bad as usual. Chicago receipts were 204 cars, 30 of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 311 cars, against 478 last week and 720 a year ago.

A perceptible weakening of the demand combined with a wave of realizing sales later sent July down to 77c. A rally ensued to 78½c, but did not hold, and the close was 1⅛@1¼c under yesterday at 77⅝c.

Corn was dull but firm. July opened ⅛c lower at 39⅞c to 39¾c, rose to 40⅛@40¼c and fell to 39⅝c Local receipts were 1,093 cars.

The market closed steady, July ⅛@¼c lower at 39¼c.

Oats ruled steady. July opened unchanged at 23¼c, rose to 23½@23⅝c and fell to 23c. Receipts here were 466 cars.

Provisions ruled steady. Hog receipts were light. July pork opened a shade higher at $11.50@11.52½ and eased off to $11.42½@11.45; July lard opened 2½c up at $6.70 and sold off to $6.65; July ribs opened unchanged at $6.72½ and sold off to $6.70.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—June, 76⅝c; July, 77⅝c; Aug., 78⅝c.

Corn—June, 39¾c; July, 39¾c; Aug., 40⅛c.

Oats—June, 23⅛c; July, 23⅛c; Aug., 23c.

Pork—June, $11.47½; July, $11.47½; Sept., $11.65.

Lard—June, $6.62½; July, $6.62½; Sept., $6.72½@6.75; Oct., $6.75@6.77½; Nov., $6.75.

Ribs—June, $6.67½; July, $6.67½; Sept., $6.75.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.80; Cash S. W., $1.80; Sept., $1.35¼; Oct., $1.29@1.29½.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, June 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500, including 700 Texans; steers steady to slow; butchers' stock about steady. Good to prime steers, $5.10@5.85; poor to medium, $4.60@5.00; stockers and feeders, $3.35@5.00; cows, $3.00@4.60; heifers, $3.10@5.25; canners, $2.35@3.00; bulls, $3.00@4.50; calves, 25c lower, $5.00@6.75; Texas fed steers, $4.60@5.25; Texas grass steers, $3.75@4.35; Texas bulls, $3.00@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts today, 17,000; tomorrow, 35,000; left over, 2,200. Market active to 10c higher; top, $5.30. Mixed and butchers, $5.10@5.30; good to choice heavy, $5.20@5.30; rough heavy, $5.05@5.15; light, $5.10@5.27½; bulk of sales, $5.20@5.25.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, July 19.—The market had the advantage of higher quotations from London this morning and some of the International stocks showed small gains. The market generally was lower and large blocks of railroad stocks were thrown on the market carrying prices quickly downwards. Changes were confined to fractions except for a gain of a point in Consolidated Gas on the decision to advance the price of gas.

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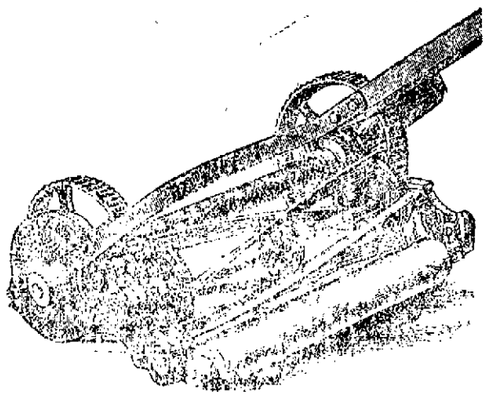

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PENNSYLVANIA SHOPS MAKE INCREASE IN FORCE.

Mr. Elliott, the local representative of the Indiana Car Service association, is of the opinion that June will eclipse all previous Junes in the volume of local freight business handled at this point. Usually June is rather dull, but Mr. Elliott says the traffic this month will compare favorably with some of the winter months of the year. Mr. Elliott also said that Fort Wayne was a great shipping point and added that he could not recall a city of this size that furnished as much freight as does this one. Mr. Elliott does not keep account of through freight business, but he is of the opinion that that class of business is fairly good also. It certainly is on the Pittsburg road, for Road Foreman C. R. Colmey has been obliged to recall six of the firemen that were suspended a month or six weeks ago, the present number being inadequate to the demand.

BUYING ELECTRIC MACHINERY.

A party of gentlemen from Celina, Ohio, who represented the councilmanic board of that city, were here yesterday, looking into the merits of the Wood system of lighting. Celina is about to install a lighting plant and when the time comes for placing the contract it will no doubt be placed in this city.

THE CHOCTAW ROAD.

The Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf road, to which the Pennsylvania has sold several of its light engines, as mentioned in The Sentinel yesterday, is destined to become one of the most important of the southern roads in the future. Traffic Manager Holden, of Little Rock, Ark., has just returned to his home after a conference with the eastern capitalists who are back of the enterprise, and he was promised all the money necessary to extend the line in Texas, Mexico and elsewhere as publishd in the papers some weeks ago. One of the officials from the mechanical department of the road has been in the city several days, examining the engines recently fitted up for the company in the shops here.

RAILWAY OFFICIALS HERE.

George Chapman, of New York, president of the Findlay, Fort Wayne and Western road, and B. W. Fenton, general superintendent of the road, were here last night. The Findlay has not yet been able to find a desirable person for the office of commercial agent at this point. A gentleman from Indianapolis was here a few days ago, looking over the field, but he decided that the job was not to his liking and he returned to the Hoosier capital to await a less arduous office than the position offered to him in this city appears to be.

NEW SHOP FOREMAN.

Charles Peppard has been appointed foreman of the Pennsylvania shops at Chicago, vice Frank M. Cairns, transferred to Crestline. Mr. Peppard was assistant foreman to George Schmoll at Crestline for several years and is perfectly familiar with the duties of the office to which he has been appointed.

INCREASED THE FORCE.

The Pennsylvania shops have received several acquisitions in the way of workmen lately, the most recent being John M. Michel, a machinist, and J. E. Young, a helper in the machine shop. Mr. Michel was employed in the shops of the Lake Erie and Western road for several years, but was suspended shortly after the Lake Shore assumed control of that property, along with eight or ten other mechanics.

COMMITTEE MEETING.

This afternoon the gentlemen who compose the various committees of the shopmen's annual excursion and picnic held a meeting, the last that will occur until the event takes place. The committees have faithfully performed their duties and now it is up to the shopmen to make the coming excursion the enjoyable affair that it is hoped it will be. A fine amusement program h[illegible] been arr[illegible]ed and is [illegible] in [illegible] to make the stay at Island park pleasant, providing, of course, the weather is favorable to outdoor sports. The tickets were delivered to the various departments this morning and are now being distributed among the men. The demand is good, indicating that the crowd at the picnic will exceed the crowd of any of the twelve preceding outings.

NEW WHEEL INSPECTOR.

Alfred Baker, son of Killian Baker, has taken a position as car wheel inspector at the Pittsburg shops, succeeding Harry Fitzpatrick, who returns to his former position that of machinist, in the shops.

HAD HAND INJURED.

J. H. Finney, machinist in the Pittsburg shops, will be unable to work for several days. Yesterday, while he was tightening a bolt, the wrench slipped and his hand was painfully cut by coming in contact with a sharp corner of a portion of the engine.

SUCCEEDS MR. HUNTER.

Alexander M. Baxter has succeeded W. E. Hunter as manager at the Wayne oil tank works, and has assumed his new duties at that establishment. Mr. Baxter was formerly senior member of the firm of Baxter & Tarmon and is a well-known and popular gentleman. A host of friends wish him success in his new position.

TOOK ON MORE MEN.

E. Moore has resumed the place in Foreman C. F. Knothe's department of the electric works that he retired from a year ago. He went to work this morning. Charles Goeglein and Charles Seabold have also taken positions in the mechanical department at the works.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

The Wabash pay car will arrive in this city one week from tomorrow

Wabash engine 417 will leave the shops tonight, thoroughly repaired.

G. Ketchum, a Pennsylvania cab builder, has gone to Pittsburg on a visit.

John Cleary, a boilermaker, is repairing the boiler in the Wabash pumping station at Antwerp, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Stotts have moved from Van Wert to this city. He is employed as a conductor on the Pittsburg road.

Brakeman W. Lloyd, of the Pittsburg, is suffering from poisoned face and hands and has been unable to work for several days.

On July 1 G. B. Wylie, traveling passenger agent of the Illinois Central, will change his headquarters from Chicago to Buffalo.

The New York and Boston limited of the Big Four on Thursday covered the sixty-one miles between Bellefontaine and Galion in sixty minutes.

Roy Tigar, son of Chief Dispatcher W. H. Tigar, has taken a position in the Pittsburg machine shop, to work under instructions during the school vacation.

All the bridges on the Panhadle between Richmond and Xenia are being strengthened to admit of running the new heavy passenger engines over them.

Wallie Conners, of the Bass machine shop, went to Toledo on the excursion last Sunday and missed the train on the return trip. He did not get home until yesterday afternoon.

The Wabash has earned since July 1, 1899, the beginning of its present fiscal year, $15,410,831, an increase over the corresponding period of the previous year of $2,008,268.

On the Panhandle, between Birmingham and Temperanceville, over two hundred colored men from the south are employed on work which will last for several months.

A proposition to grant students returning home for the vacation months a rate of one and one-third fare on the certificate plan is being considered by western roads.

Seth F. Green, traveling man for G. E. Bursley & Co., is taking a vacation, which he will spend east. He left on Pensylvania train No. 8 last night for Washington, D. C.

Louis Miller, J. Callihan, Thomas W. Smith and J. McCarthy are sick, and John Richards, J. H. Cody and H. S. Geerken are off duty for private business. They are Pittsburg shopmen.

Gus Gruber, of the Pittsburg copper shop, who has been sick, is out, but his doctor advises three or four days' rest before he resumes work. He called at the shops to see his comrades yesterday.

H. E. Nicholls, chief engineer of the Philadelphia and Reading, who has tendered his resignation, has been in the service of that company fifty years and since 1884 as its chief engineer.

Lieutenant Gaslinger, whose promotion was noted in The Sentinel some time ago, has moved his family from Ada, Ohio, to Rochester, Pa., in order that they may be nearer his present official headquarters.

E. H. Neely has gone to his old home in Wellsville, Ohio, to spend a two weeks' vacation. He is an operator in [illegible]ds [illegible] of the Pennsylvania and during his absence from that place his duties there will be filled by Operator W. D. Toomey, of Plymouth.

Hon. J. H. Bass is looking after his foundry interests in St Louis today. He left the city last night.

Engine 765 was turned out of the Wabash shops today. It will go into service on the Detroit division.

Fred G. Olds, machinist, is out on the road this week looking after the interests of the Pennsylvania Voluntary Relief association

E. Burhenn has been promoted from helper to blacksmith in the Wabash shop, succeeding Omer Deskins, who resigned last evening

Henry Klopper and William Stradley, boilermakers, went to Peru this morning to do some work for the Wabash which will keep them there a few days.

Fifteen Fort Wayne Turnvereins left last night on Pennsylvania train No. 8 for Philadelphia, where they will participate in the Turnfest to be held this week.

Machinist Charles McElfatrick is preparing for a visit with his mother in Indianapolis. He will leave for that city next Friday and will remain there about two weeks.

Master Mechanic G. S McKee is on the Buffalo division of the system and will attend the annual meeting of the Master Mechanics association at Saragota, which will convene Thursday.

Machinist M. C. Tierney, of the air brake department of the Pittsburg shops, has been temporarily assigned to the power station, where he will have charge until one of the men employed there recovers from injuries received several days ago.

E. M. Young, who had been on a visit out of the city, and J. Schlatterbeck, who had been taking a few days' rest, resumed their duties on the Nickel Plate yesterday. J. H. Kepler is now taking a lay off for a few days. All are brakemen.

President Cowen, of the Baltimore and Ohio, attributes a large part of the increased earnings to the improved condition of the coal trade. He estimates that the higher rates on coal will add about $2,000,000 a year to the revenue of the road.

J. E. Noble, traveling salesman for the Bass works, has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to take the road in the interest of the firm again. He made his first trip out this morning, going to Plymouth, since he was taken ill three weeks ago.

A machinist in the Pittsburg shops who went into a car on No. 8 last night to bid his brother good bye, picked up from an empty seat a piece of money, which Captain Stoll is now holding awaiting the owner. Many a man would have slipped the money in his pocket and said nothing of the find.

Herbert Bickness, the boilermaker, who had been sick two or three weeks, reported for duty at the Pittsburg shops yesterday, but a few hours sufficed to demonstrate his weakened condition and he had to quit work and return home again. He will probably not be able to work before next week.

The large new freight engines of the Panhadle are hauling enormous trains over the Richmond division. Last week one train of 198 cars was hauled over this division by one of these engines, another of sixty-nine loaded and ten empty cars and a third of seventy-eight loaded and thirty-six empties—114 in all.

The Nickel Plate seems to be getting its full measure of the emigrant business. Last night, at 1 o'clock, another special bearing foreigners passed through the city, westbound. The train consisted of five coaches and one baggage car and most of its passengers were Germans en route to the northwest, where they expect to settle upon farms.

T. J. Hudson, a well known locomotive engineer, died on Friday. He had been an engineer on the Western and Atlantic for twenty-eight years and a resident of Atlanta all his life. He was a member of the Knights of Honor and of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and had been instrumental in promoting the interests of the brotherhood in the southern states.

Contractor Henry Hilgemann this morning placed orders for the material for a $5,000 residence for Jos. Baker, on East Main street, opposite the Old Fort park. He also placed orders for the material to remodel the house of William Doehrman, on East Washington street, where the improvements will be so extensive as to make the house practically new throughout.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Henderson left last night for Erie, Pa., to attend the funeral of Mrs. Robert Dunn, who died in that city yesterday. Mr. Dunn is a machinist and a few years ago was thus employed in this city, working at different times in the Bass works and in the Pittsburg shops. He and his estimable wife were well known here and the news of her death will cause sorrow among a large portion of our people.

Among the absentees in the Pennsylvania train service are Conductors J. P. Gray, E. J. Martin, Arthur Stevens and C. A. Steveh, and Brakemen B. Grand, J. Kresse, Rice and L. E. Wil[illegible]ns. [illegible] latter has to Kansas City and the others are spending the vacation at home or with friends in near-by cities.

Frank M. Cairns was in the city last night and this morning, the guest of his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. James Cairns, of Broadway. Frank is en route to Chicago for the purpose of packing up his household goods and moving his family to their new home, Crestline, Ohio, where he has charge of the Pennsylvania shops and round house.

In some manner two items in these columns became mixed yesterday, making it rather embarrassing for Mr. and Mrs. George W. Knoll. This estimable couple were married at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon by Rev. Miller. The lady's maiden name was Miss Dora Weber and no young couple stands higher in the estimation of their friends than does this one. Mr. Knoll is employed in the instrument department of the electric works and he resumed his duties there yesterday. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Knoll, of 15 Miner street.

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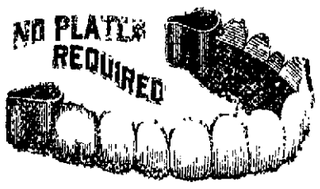

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, June 19.—Forecast for Indiana: Fair tonight and Wednesday; fresh easterly winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Baum and Miss Harriett Baum, of Indianapolis, are in the city.

Mrs. J. L. Potter, of Indianapolis, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fordney.

The Misses Isabella and Gertrude Strong, of Cleveland, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Potter.

D V. Whiteleather and B. F. Slessman, of Columbia City, transacted business in Fort Wayne yesterday.

Hon. J. M. Barrett and John Morris, jr, have gone to Ann Arbor, to attend a reunion of their law classes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Trowbridge, of Fayette, Ohio, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. C. F. Tracey, of 21 Columbia avenue.

There was one prisoner, a train climber, in police court this morning. He was arrested by Detective Bates. The mayor ordered the fellow to leave the city.

Rev. Father Bathe, of the Cathedral, was summoned to Wabash today by a telephone message announcing the serious illness of his nephew, who resides in that city.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Third Presbyterian church will give a lawn social this evening at the residence of Miss Mabel Crosby, 111 West DeWald street.

The Young People's Christian union of Calvary U B. church will give an ice cream social on the lawn of the S. F. Bowser & Co.'s works, on East Creighton avenue, this evening.

The Eintracht Singing society will give their annual Somernacht Fest at Centlivre's park this evening. An excellent program has been prepared and a big attendance is expected.

Dr. G. B. McGoogan, the deputy revenue collector, has established office hours from 9 to 11 and from 2 to 4 for the remainder of June, in order to issue special tax stamps required by July 1.

The reception to be given by Mrs. G. F Trier to the pupils of the Mulqueen Dancing academy will be given at the Robison park pavilion Wednesday, June 27, instead of June 20, as has been erroneously announced.

Architect Henry Meyer is engaged on plans for a residence for James A. Gavin, of East Wayne street The house will be a frame structure, two stories in height, and will contain ten rooms. It will be erected on the property owned by Mr. Gavin on East Wayne street.

Rev. J. W. Lake, pastor of Calvary U. B church, will leave at 7:45 this evening for Lebanon, Pa., to attend the biennial convention of the Young People's Christian union of the United Brethren church. Rev. Lake goes as a delegate of the Anglaize conference branch of the Y. P. C. U., of which he is president, and also as a delegate from the local union of Calvary church. His pulpit will be supplied next Sunday.

There will be a meeting of the arrangement committee of the traveling salesmen and office men of the wholesale houses of the city in the Commercial exchange this evening, to make arrangements for the return picnic to be given by the drummers to their hosts of two weeks ago. Every traveling salesman living in Fort Wayne or traveling for a Fort Wayne house is expected to take part in the coming picnic.

About 11 o'clock Monday evening two young men called at the office of Dr J D Chambers, on Harrison street, one of them supporting the other, who was evidently very ill. The doctor admitted them and shortly after the young fellow who was ill suffered a hemorrhage of the lungs, losing a great quantity of blood. The young fellow was too weak to move until about 6 o'clock this morning, when he was taken to his boarding house, where he is now in a very weak condition. The young men are from Chicago and have been here but a few days.

STRAWBERRIES, BLACK RASPBERRIES, GOOSEBERRIES AND CALIFORNIA FRUITS.

Fine Pierceton Strawberries, 7c and 8c qut.
Cincinnati Black Raspberries, 10c qut.
Home Grown Gooseberries, 4c qut.
Georgia Peaches, 15c dozen.
California Peaches, 30c dozen.
California Red Plums, 8c dozen.
California Tragedy Plums, 10c dozen.
California Apricots, 10c dozen.
California Cherries, 16c lb.
Extra Large Pineapples, 18 and 20c
Large Georgia Watermelons, 40c each.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

STOLTE.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stolte, of Washington township, died Monday afternoon from exhaustion.

Funeral services were held this afternoon.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Kretsinger.—Funeral services of Henry R. Kretsinger will be held from the residence of John Kretsinger, 47 Miner street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Members of the Masonic fraternity will attend.

Neuenschwander.- Funeral services of Miss Tillie Neuenschwander will be held from the residence, 75 Columbia avenue, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. A. K. Zartman officiating.

INTEREST COMES DOWN.

At a meeting Monday afternoon the directors of the Old National bank voted to reduce the rate of interest charged on loans from 7 to 6 per cent., and the new rate went into effect this morning. Mr. Bond said today that the movement had been in contemplation for some time, and was done to meet the desires of business men who felt that 6 per cent. interest was all they could safely pay. Mr. Bond thought the action would be of much benefit to Fort Wayne business circles. A reporter for The Sentinel saw Mr. McCulloch, of the Hamilton bank; Mr Hartman, of the First National, and Mr. White, of the White National, and in response to inquiry gleaned the information that each of these institutions would offer equally favorable terms to its customers.

The Baptist ladies of the north side will give their ice cream social this evening at 135 Cass street, instead of 135 Calhoun street, as stated in last night's paper.

TOO LATE FOR MARKET

A gardner too late for market this morning with a load of peas, rather than take them home, sold the entire load to us at a price that we can sell at 3c quart, or 20c peck.

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In making our bow to the public we wish to call the attention of all the old patrons of the Greatest Grocery, as well as those of the NEW GREATEST GROCERY COMPANY, to the fact that THE GREATEST GROCERY COMPANY NEVER HAD any connection with the B. W. Skelton company, who operated the Greatest Grocery, and HAVE NO CONNECTION NOW WITH THAT FIRM. We bought all the stock and fixtures of the B. W. Skelton Co. at RECEIVER'S SALE. This stock has practically been all sold.

In introducing ourselves to the public we wish also to say that in these times of close competition it is essential for every successful merchant to keep posted and GET IN ON THE GROUND FLOOR and buy and sell for cash. If you will favor us with a share of your patronage YOU will be a wise buyer. WE WILL NOT GIVE COUPONS, TICKETS or chromos, but will give you the benefit of the lowest CASH PRICES ever made in the city. We have now virtually a NEW STOCK. The recent break in prices in some lines and OUR ALERTNESS in other lines that have rapidly advanced, permit us to positively state that we own our stock at MUCH LESS THAN MARKET VALUE and are therefore prepared to make our statements true: that we will GIVE YOU the BENEFIT of the lowest cash prices at all times.

We will not misrepresent goods, but guarantee goods to be as represented. Of course we do not steal our goods, BUT WE DO BUY RIGHT, and therefore can sell at LOWER PRICES than you ever bought them before.

We thank you for your past favors and invite your inspection of our NEW STOCK and the NEW LINES we have added.

Very respectfully,
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FOR SABBATH DESECRATION.

Constable Kennelley went to New Haven this morning and served warrants on Henry Blaising, a saloonkeeper, who is charged in six affidavits made by John A. Snyder with Sabbath desecration. He is accused of selling liquor on each Sunday in May and on the three Sundays in June. Justice France issued the warrants.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul M. E. church will serve ice cream and cake on the church lawn Wednesday evening, June 20th.

Indianapolis and return Sunday, June 24th, via L. E. & W. R. R. Train leaves at 5 a. m. Rate, $1.00. 18t6

MASONIC FUNERAL NOTICE.

Members of Wayne lodge, No. 25, F. & A. M., are requested to meet at their lodge room in Masonic Temple Wednesday, June 20th, 1900, at 1 o'clock p. m. sharp, to attend the funeral of our late brother, Henry R. Kretsinger. Members of sister lodges are respectfully invited to join with us. Street car to cemetery.

HARRY W. PIERCE, W. M.
Attest:
D. L. HARDING Secretary. 18-2t

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CONVENTION IS OPEN

Republicans in National Council in Philadelphia Begin Labors of the Campaign.

SENATOR WOLCOTT'S KEYNOTE SPEECH

Convention Hall, Philadelphia, June 19.—The republican national convention was launched upon the sea of its labors today at 12:35. It was called to order by National Chairman Hanna, amid scenes characteristic of such assemblages. Senator Hanna made a brief speech, in which he aroused much enthusiasm, and presented Senator Edward Wolcott, of Colorado, the temporary chairman, who made the keynote speech of the coming campaign. Governor Theodore Roosevelt, of New York, was given a tremendous ovation when he entered the convention hall and was recognized.

THE OPENING SCENES.

The crowds were slow in gathering at the convention hall. When, shortly after 11 o'clock, the band in the gallery awoke the echoes in the vast roof space there were not more than one thousand persons in the great auditorium.

But it was astonishing how rapidly the crowds began to arrive after that hour. They poured in in steady streams until they blackened the acres of seats. An unusually large number were women, looking fresh and sweet in their summer gowns.

The sergeant-at-arms and the ushers had their hands full attending to the crowds. In the seats back of the stage were many distinguished personages.

HANNA APPEARS.

The leaders were slow in arriving and it was not until Senator Hanna put in an appearance at 11:45 that the enthusiasm of the thousands was uncorked. He got a cheer as he moved up the center aisle the full length of the hall to the platform. General Grosvenor, the white-bearded old veteran, was immediately recognized and he, too, got a cheer.

Senator Allison, of Iowa, the famous leader of his party in the senate, was among the early arrivals. Among the other members of the senate on the stage were Hawley, of Connecticut; Burrows, of Michigan; Deboe, of Kentucky; Cullom, of Illinois, and Shoup, of Idaho.

FATHERS OF THE PARTY.

Occupying prominent seats upon the platform were four of the fourteen men now living who were delegates to the first convention of the republican party, held in Philadelphia June 17, 1856. All were members of the regular Ohio delegation. Three of them were prominent in the anti-slavery fight that led to the convention held in Pittsburg February 22d, 1856, which was in reality the precursor of the Philadelphia convention, and these men, therefore, claim to be among those who were chiefly instrumental in forming the republican party. The three men who were first at Pittsburg and later at Philadelphia are: Judge Rush R. Sloane, Sandusky, Ohio; Gen. R. B. Brinkerhoff, Mansfield, Ohio, and Hon. George R. Trey, Springfield, Ohio. Judge W. H. Upson, of Akron, Ohio, was at the Philadelphia convention, but not at that in Pittsburg.

Cornelius N. Bliss, of New York, got a scattering of applause as he came in and took his seat with the New York delegation, and Senator Platt, of New York, got a popular greeting. As the hour of noon approached the delegates entered in a solid stream and spread out over the seats reserved for them.

BIG ONES OVERLOOKED.

The crowd was so absorbed picking out men of national reputation that they forgot to cheer, and men like Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts; Senator Davis, of Minnesota; Senator Foraker, of Ohio, did not get a hand as they took their places. Meantime the band was playing popular airs and the scene was impressive and animated. At noon Senator Hanna took his seat at the chairman's table, but although this was the hour set for calling the convention, he delayed a few moments, conferring with Secretary Dick, Senator Wolcott and others.

CHEERS FOR ROUGH RIDER.

At 12:07 the first pronounced demonstration of the convention occurred. Governor Roosevelt came in through the main entrance and moved down the center aisle. He wore his rough rider hat and was instantly recognized. A deep, reverberating cheer greeted him. Men jumped to their chairs to cheer him and women fluttered their handkerchiefs. Delegates crowded forward to greet him as he moved through the press and his entrance, theatrical though it may have been, was like that of a conquering hero. He took his seat immediately in the rear of Senator Platt and in front of Senator Depew.

"Our Chauncey," who has aroused the attention of many a republican convention, came at the same time Roosevelt did, but the multitude had eyes only for the hero of San Juan.

NOTABLE GROUPS.

Many notable groups could be seen among the delegates. Immediately in front sat Senator Fairbanks, of Indiana, with Governor Mount, of that state, just behind him. Governor Shaw, of Iowa, ran over to greet his executive colleague and saw that Dolliver's flag was still flying. Across the aisle Senator Platt, with pearl cap tipped back, reflected how it was, while Cornelius N. Bliss was earnestly assuring Senator Payne as to some controverted point. Mr. Odell sat with Mr. Quigg and all the New Yorkers kept turning their heads to see when that broad-brimmed sombrero made its appearance.

Governor Taylor, of Kentucky, came in with Governor Bradley, of that state, the former smiling and unruffled after all his turmoil. Just across was Senator Foraker with his hair tossed, looking as though he had been having hard conferences, while General Grosvenor, looking like a patriarch, paced the aisle and grasped hands.

Senator Lodge and Judge McCall came in at the head of the Massachusetts delegation and were greeted by General Harry Bingham.

"Is it all over?" said Bingham.

"Yes," said Lodge, "for Long—that's the ticket, a certainty, McKinley and Long."

Senator Quay smiled grimly from across the aisle. He wore a suit of miller's gray and had apparently contracted the sombrero habit, for his hat was of expansive brim and of the Santiago cut. He greeted Senator Davis and the two hugged and whispered.

Then Senator Thurston broke up the hugging.

Sitting together on the platform was a group of distinguished guests from the diplomatic corps at Washington, including the first secretaries of the British embassy, Mr. Gerald Lowther, and of the Spanish legation, Senor Don Riano.

Kansas had seats immediately across the aisle from New York, to the left, and when Roosevelt came in the Kansas delegates gave him a special reception and one enthusiastic Kansan grabbed the governor by the arm and pulled him across the aisle.

The long gallery was now packed with humanity and the floor from wall to wall was a living sea of people.

During the intervals when the band was not playing the hall was filled with an indescribable hum of myriads of voices which is only heard at the gathering of thousands of people. Before Chairman Hanna on the desk was a heavy plank about a foot square and on this lay his gavel.

The gavel was unique. It consisted of a heavy square oak piece filled with a handle and looked more like a maul than a gavel for a presiding officer.

Senator Hanna seemed in no hurry to call the convention to order. Attired in a sack suit with a white vest he sat chatting with those about him, his broad face beaming, his eyes meantime roving over the convention. At 11:30 the band broke into the stirring strains of "The Star Spangled Banner."

Governor Roosevelt was first on his feet in response to the national anthem. His rough rider hat came off and he stood with head uncovered. Instantly the whole convention rose en masse.

THOUSANDS CHEER.

Ten thousand people stood while the stirring air was played and ap-

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GOSSIP OF THE CONVENTION

THE ROUGH RIDER'S BOOM.

Philadelphia, June 19.—The faultfinders and critics were astir early, as were the partisans on both the Roosevelt and anti-Roosevelt sides. The friends of the governor were disposed to find some fault with his pronunciamento. Said one of the United States senators who started the movement in Governor Roosevelt's behalf:

"We can nominate him if he will only say he wants the office, but his halting and coyness of attitude renders the task difficult. If Governor Roosevelt is the politician he is credited with being, he will come out in plain terms as a candidate. Standing as he does now between the lines, he is liable to get shot at by both armies, and it is quit probable that, if he fails in the vice presidential nomination, he will also fail in securing the New York governorship. He waits too long."

TOO MUCH ADMINISTRATION.

On the other hand, there is sharp criticism of the selection of Secretary Long as the administration candidate, on the ground that it looks as if the friends of the president thought there was no capable man to be found outside the circle of his immediate official coterie.

"I don't think we want a candidate from New England," said Senator Cullom, of Illinois. "New England is reliably republican and we want a man nearer the heart of the country. Furthermore, there is no necessity to bring the administration any more into the campaign than will be done by the president's own candidacy.

"I don't believe," he continued, "that they can beat Teddy with the secretary, much as I like the secretary."

PLATT'S RELIEF.

Senator Thomas C. Platt said this morning:

"I am of the opinion that nothing can stop the nomination of Governor Roosevelt. The majority of the delegates seem to be in favor of him."

"Will New York state cast their votes for him?" was asked.

"I cannot say," he replied, evasively. "The delegation will meet this afternoon and I do not know what they will do."

"Has not Mr. Quay asked you to cast New York's vote for Roosevelt?"

"I cannot discuss the matter. The delegation will control its own business."

These questions were asked Mr Platt because of rumors that the leaders of the New York delegation would break their pledges to Governor Roosevelt and vote this afternoon at its meeting to make him the vice presidential candidate.

Mr. Odell and Mr. Quigg both said that they had heard of no such plan, but both added significantly and in the same manner as had Mr. Platt that they did not speak for the majority of the delegates. But if such a plan is made public in the delegation's meeting, it will cause a bitter row. Governor Roosevelt, as a member of the delegation, will fight any such proposition, and he has many friends, although not a majority of the delegation behind him. When the thing was suggested to him this morning he said:

"I don't believe it. I have Mr. Platt's word, and it is as good as his bond, that it will not be done. I have also Mr. Odell's assurances."

PLATT WANTS TO WAIT.

Senator Hanna came to the convention hall directly from his conference with Senator Platt. He said that Senator Platt did not want anything said until this evening, after the meeting of the New York delegation. Senator Hanna said he was informed Roosevelt was willing to make his declaration of yesterday even still stronger if necessary.

Senator Burrows, of Michigan, is authority for the statement that Roosevelt said to Henry C. Payne, and the chairman of the Wisconsin delegation that he would decline if he was nominated for vice president.

Governor Roosevelt sent for Henry C. Payne and Senator Lodge just before he left for the convention hall, but could not find them. Chairman Odell, of the New York state committee, sent word to the room, "Don't make any statement or talk for publication until you see me. I have something to tell you of importance that will please you."

A PLATT-HANNA PROGRAM.

It is generally believed that Mr. Platt and Mr. Hanna have arranged a program and that Roosevelt will not be nominated.

Governor Roosevelt left the hotel at twelve minutes to 12 o'clock, with Senator Depew and the senator's son, and was driven to the convention hall. He received an ovation at the hotel, along the streets and at the entrance to the convention grounds.

Governor Roosevelt said after he came into the convention hall, when asked about the reported remark to Henry C. Payne, that he had made no statement except the one made direct to the public.

"If you hear rumors of statements," he continued, "you can go to Chairman Odell, of New York, and unless he says they are genuine you need not believe them."

He then added, in his emphatic way:

"I earnestly hope that there will be no necessity for any statement."

ODELL SAYS ROOSEVELT.

As if in direct contradiction to these late rumors Mr. Odell, when approached in the convention hall, and after refusing at first to talk, said bluntly:

"Why, there's little doubt but that it is Roosevelt. It can't be stopped."

"Has Mr. Hanna agreed to it?" was asked.

"I don't know. I simply believe that an overwhelming sentiment will probably nominate Roosevelt."

At the conference between Senator Platt and Senator Hanna today the former indicated a desire to agree upon Odell, the same proposition that was submitted yesterday. Senator Hanna returned almost the same answer as given yesterday regarding the other candidates now being in the field and it would be unfair to them. He also said that it had been given out that Roosevelt was to be forced upon the convention against his own will because he was no longer wanted in New York, and so far as he, Hanna, was concerned, he did not propose to accept it.

PLATFORM GOSSIP.

Philadelphia, June 19.—The probabilities now are that Senator Fairbanks, of Indiana, will be chairman of the committee on platform. It was at first intended that this honor should be conferred upon Senator Foraker, but the latest decision, so far as the party leaders can decide the question in advance of the meeting of the committee, is to transfer it to another state. After Allison's nominating speech Senator Foraker will make the principal address in nominating President McKinley. He has done a great deal of preparatory work in putting the platform in shape, and is continuing to assist in that line. Yesterday and last night the instrument received several additions and was changed in some details, but it follows very closely the lines indicated Sunday night. A careful effort is being made to find a way to not entirely cut off the hopes of the bimetallists, but there will be a positive declaration against silver coinage under present conditions. The resolution will probably be in the shape of condemnation of bimetallism, "except by international agreement." The extreme gold men hope that even this implied concession shall not be made. A more delicate problem is what to do with the present Chinese situation. The embroglio in the celestial empire is so new and so unprecedented a predicament for the United States that it is conceded that any expression on the subject calls for the shrewdest finesse.

PLATFORM COMMITTEE.

Convention Hall, Philadelphia, June 19. The committee on resolutions organized immediately after the adjournment of the convention and then adjourned to meet at the Walton hotel at 5 o'clock.

On motion of Senator Foraker, Senator Fairbanks, of Indiana, was chosen chairman of the committee, and E. Rosewater, the Nebraska member, secretary. In suggesting Mr. Rosewater's nomination, Senator Foraker stated that the position should be given to him as a compliment to his profession of journalism. The suggestion was received with general approval.

CONVENTION SCENES.

Convention Hall, Philadelphia, June 19.—As the hour drew near for the assembling of the convention the esplanade in front of the main entrance presented an animated appearance. The crush came in a heap. Crowds from street cars filled the greensward on either side of the driveway, while the driveway became crowded with equipages of every class.

The first arrival which attracted the attention of all was Senator Hanna, who came in the private carriage of George C. Griscom and was accompanied by that gentleman. The police lined up before Mr. Hanna and kept the crowd back. Although Mr. Hanna had any number of offers to show him how to get in, he undertook to be his own pilot and made the wrong entrance.

The Thirty-fourth street entrance to the grounds was not pressed up to the hour of noon. Not a thousand persons had passed the turnstiles at 12 o'clock. The grounds about the convention hall are supplied with benches, on which many sat as leisurely as if there was nothing unusual. The impatient hurry, confusion and disorder usually incident to the first day of a national convention were not in evidence outside the building before the beginning of the first day's session.

WOLCOTT'S RECEPTION.

Convention Hall, Philadelphia, June 19.—Senator Wolcott's speech as temporary chairman of the convention was splendidly received and was frequently interrupted by outbursts of applause, sometimes long-continued.

Senator Wolcott has a clear resonant voice, which penetrated to the furthest recesses of the hall. He speaks, however, with great rapidity and this, perhaps, somewhat spoiled the effect of his speech. But the thousands before him were in thorough sympathy and he had no difficulty in striking a responsive chord. When with outstretched arm he predicted the triumphant election of the republican ticket in November the audience surrendered and when he first mentioned President McKinley's name he could not proceed for a minute, owing to the demonstration. As he rehearsed the history of the four years of republican administration, the prosperity which had blessed it, the victories it had won, the glorious outcome of the Spanish-American war, the campaign of misrepresentation in connection with the Philippines which its enemies had inaugurated and which it had met, the convention repeatedly broke into applause.

A KEYNOTE SPEECH.

It was a keynote speech, covering the legislation which had been placed on the statute books and its deepest note was the financial prosperity of the country and the legislation which had made its continuation possible if the present administration was continued in power. That was the theme to which the demonstrations of the conventions clung. When he said that the old issue of the democrats was dead and that they were driven to find new issues in a way which they had been most anxious to precipitate, the convention arose at him, but the outburst was even greater when he declared that the division among the republicans of the east and west on the financial issue was a thing of the past and that those who had left the party four years ago in the west were returning on the issue of expansion. The first mention of expansion was also the signal for a demonstration.

Senator Wolcott paced up and down along the front of the platform as he proceeded and several times he consulted his notes. He is not at his best in a prepared speech and his admirers were, possibly, a little disappointed.

The Indiana delegation led the applause when Senator Wolcott announced that the thieving post office officials in Cuba would be hunted down. Probably the greatest demonstration occurred when he said that we would establish law and order in the Philippines and that the last thing to be considered was to give up the islands.

NEW JERSEY FOR LONG.

Convention Hall, Philadelphia, June 19.—The New Jersey delegation has met and decided to cast their votes for Long for vice president.

MISS AGNES MERZ DEAD.

Miss Agnes Merz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Merz, died at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the family residence, 25 Pine street. Miss Merz was about eighteen years of age.

MRS. BEVERIDGE DEAD.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 19.—Mrs. Beveridge, wife of United States Senator Albert J. Beveridge, of Indiana, died in a sanitarium at Danville, N. Y., this morning from heart failure.

Miss Mattie Hartman, of Huntington, is visiting Fort Wayne friends.

WILL SEND AN ARMY

Five Thousand Russian Troops Are Ordered to Proceed at Once to Seat of Trouble.

GRAVEST ANXIETY FOR DIPLOMATS

Washington, June 19. Secretary of State Hay has been notified by the Russian embassy here that 4,000 Russian troops have been dispatched from Port Arthur to Taku.

WIRES INTERRUPTED.

Paris, June 19.—At a cabinet council today the minister of foreign affairs, M. Delcasses, announced that the telegraph line between Pekin and Tien Tsin was still interrupted. A dispatch received from Shanghai says Li Hung Chang has been summoned to Pekin from Canton.

The French consul at Shanghai telegraphs that the danger of complications in the Yang-Tse-Kiang valley and the province of Tsa Chuan (Szechuan) appears to be diminishing.

The minister of marine, M. De Lanessan, announces that the French armored cruiser Giechen will leave France for Taku June 23, and that the armored cruiser, Admiral Charner, and the second-class cruiser, Friant, will sail June 28. He added that two transports conveying two battalions of infantry and two batteries of artillery would leave at the same time.

IMMENSE ANXIETY.

Shanghai, June 19.—The consulates have received no communication from the legations at Pekin since June 11, and the greatest anxiety prevails as to their safety. There are innumerable rumors but there is nothing of an accurate nature. The stories purporting to describe the situation at Pekin June 17 merely reiterate previous accounts.

The viceroy of Nanking has taken vigorous measures to prevent a rising in his district. Sensational native rumors are current that Tien Tsin has been burned by the Chinese soldiers and that Yuet, the viceroy of China, has fled from his province in order to escape degradation.

ONE REGIMENT ORDERED.

Washington, June 19.—Adjutant General Corbin declared positively today that up to date only one regiment, the Ninth infantry, has been ordered from Manila to China.

In addition to the Oregon, which is to go up to Taku from Hong Kong, the Buffalo, with 300 green landsmen aboard, has been ordered at once from Southampton, England, to the Philippines, while the gunboats Princeton and Marietta, which are admirably suited to service in the Pei-ho river above Taku, have been held at Cavite under orders to be ready for service at any moment. The Zafiro also has been held at the same place, in readiness to take on supplies for the naval contingent at Taku.

If the Princeton and Marietta join Admiral Kempff, as seems probable now, he will have at his command a more numerous and effective fleet of gunboats adapted to service on the Pei-ho river as far up as Tien Tsin than any of the other naval powers there represented.

No reports were received at the state department today from any of its officials in China. It is not known, consequently, whether or not our naval vessels were with the other foreign ships in an engagement at Taku on Sunday.

THE SITUATION.

London, June 19.—Judging from the German official dispatches the American ships took no part in the bombardment of the Taku forts Sunday morning. No news has yet been received here of the relief of the legations at Pekin and Europe's attention is centered far less on the overwhelming display of naval force at Taku than on the fate of the diplomatic staffs and six hundred cosmopolitan residents, guarded by a handful of international marines, within the legation compounds. There has been no news thence since June 14.

Rumors that Japan will, as the mandatory of the powers, restore order in China was revived in a dispatch today from Yokohama. Berlin dispatches intimate that Germany will not object to Japan sending eighteen thousand troops, while Great Britain will indorse the plan with avidity, though perhaps only secretly.

The Japanese legation in London has official information of the dispatch of 3,000 troops. In the meanwhile the British are dispatching six native regiments, besides artillery, from India. The revolt is spreading in western China. The representative of Pritchard Morgan, M. P., at Ching-Tu wires that he and his party have been detained there owing to news that the revolution has broken out in Szechuan, which adjoins the province of Yunnan, also in revolt, and official news comes today that the London Missionary society's premises at Tsao-Shih, central China, west northwest of Hankow, have been destroyed by a mob.

The rising seems to be spreading with rapidity and shows unexpected organization among the anti-foreign elements.

The missionaries at Tsao-Shih escaped and reached Hankow in safety.

UNION PLUMBERS QUIT WORK

DEMAND AN INCREASE IN THE RATE OF WAGES.

Agreement Was Signed by Some of the Bosses—Hopes Entertained for Settlement.

Trouble has been brewing between the journeymen and boss plumbers for a fortnight or longer and finally matters came to a head this morning. The journeymen plumbers first asked for $3 for nine hours' work, a wage which all the bosses refused to pay, some of them, however, offering to pay thirty cents an hour. The union finally fixed a scale of thirty cents an hour for journeymen and twenty-two and one-half cents for juniors, and several of the bosses signed the agreement, while other bosses declined to sign. Last evening it was decided that the men employed in the establishments where the increase was refused should quit and this morning the union men employed by Messrs. Spice, Noll, Jahn & Meyer and Franke quit work and held a meeting in their hall, where the situation was discussed. An effort is being made to settle the disagreement and it is believed that matters will so shape themselves that the men will return to work within a day or two.

SUNDAY NIGHT AT THE TEMPLE

No effort is being spared to make the service at the Temple next Sunday night the very best and most attractive possible. In addition to the address and the congregational singing, a ladies' quartet will also sing one selection. Mr. Allen intends to make the service a popular one. He recognizes that many men today have honest doubts and he will address himself to these in a frank and manly manner, leaving all theological discussion alone.

John G. Raubold, of the firm of Raubold & Lambkin, moulding manufacturers, is the guest of F. W. Kelsey, of 3 Michigan avenue. Mr. Kelsey has been in the employ of the firm as salesman for many years. Today Mr. Raubold and Herman Siemon were guests of Mr. Kelsey at dinner.

Huntington Herald: "John Miller, wife and children, and Sam Hielderbroner, of Fort Wayne, and Roscoe Eckman and wife, from near Majenica, were guests of B. A. Richards and wife, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Eckman will give a big dinner to mute guests on Sunday, June 24."

Several of the young people of the West Jefferson street Church of Christ who have been attending Hiram college are expected home this week. Two of Dr. T. H. McCormick's children, Farman and Ada, receive their diplomas of graduation at the

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CITY FIRE SWEPT.

THREMENDOUS CONFLAGRATION IN BLOOMINGTON, ILL.

THE LOSS NEAR $2,000,000

PIXLEY CLOTHING STORE IS DESTROYED

COURT HOUSE WAS GUTTED

BUSINESS SECTION A WASTE OF ASHES.

Bloomington, Ill., June 19.—Five blocks of the best business buildings, located in the heart of this city, were destroyed by fire, which started at 12:30 o'clock this morning.

McLean county court house, valued at $100,000, was completely gutted, but the records were saved.

Nearly fifty firms were burned out. It is estimated that the losses will foot up between $1,500,000 and $2,000,000.

Only one life was lost, and that indirectly. The fire started in the Model laundry, on Monroe street, in the block northeast of the court house. It spread rapidly along the north and east sides of Court House square.

DYNAMITE CHECKED FIRE.

Help was requested from Peoria and Springfield. Before this arrived the fire was eating its way to the east and dynamite was used to check its progress.

Robert L. Schmitt, aged 19, heard the terrific explosions and fell dead from heart failure.

The block where the fire started was soon entirely destroyed with the exception of the government building and post office and which escaped undamaged. Besides the old Durley theatre, the following firms were located in the block:

Brand & Co., furniture; Vimont & Koehn, dry goods; Cooper & Trueman glassware; Pixley & Co., clothing; Thompson & Sons, furniture; Model laundry; B. S. Green Co., Miller & Sons, hardware.

The flames then jumped across Main street to the Minerva block, which was destroyed. It was tenanted by the following firms:

No Name Store, Neihaus' Restaurant, Helbig's music store, McLean County Coal company, S. Enstly's coal office, Gutherie cigar store, Phoenix hotel, Garvey's drug store, Coblentz's drug store, R. C. Rogers, wall paper; C. W. Klemm, dry goods, loss $100,000; Stephen Smith Sons, dry goods, $75,000; J. H. Riggs, dry goods, $30,000; Bolles' tailor shops, Schneider Shoe Store company.

The Windsor hotel block next went before the flames.

The loss on the hotel amounts to $50,000, and on Wilcox's dry goods establishment $75,000. Griesheim's seven-story building, at Main and Jefferson streets, caught fire at 2 o'clock, and with the entire block lying east of the court house, was destroyed. The ground floor was occupied by Griesheim's clothing house, the destruction of which, with loss on building, cost $100,000. The upper floors were occupied by 300 or 400 professional men, who lost all their books and office fixtures. Parritt's jewelry establishment, Cole Bros.' new building and dry goods stock, the Corn Belt bank, Reed Bros., hardware; Klopp, hatter; State National bank, the Eagle office building were wiped out in turn.

EMBERS FIRED COURT HOUSE.

Burning embers from the Griesheim building set fire to the court house. The big building burned slowly and while hundreds of citizens were assisting in removing the records the clock in the dome tolled four times. Nothing was left but the walls of the building, which was erected at a cost of $400,000 twenty years ago.

Assistance had arrived from outside points and when the fire was communicated to the block west of the court house the combined fire departments made a last stand to check its spread. The block was gutted, however, and several business houses lost their stocks. But the firemen were successful and checked the flames after eight hours' hard work.

No figures are obtainable as to the amount of insurance.

THE PIXLEY LOSS.

The Pixley store swept away by the Bloomington conflagration was one of the syndicate of clothing and gent's furnishing goods houses owned by Pixley & Co., of Fort Wayne, and carried a stock valued at $40,000, upon which there was an insurance of $28,500. A reporter for The Sentinel this morning was able to give Mr. Pixley the first particulars of the fire which had swept away his store, though he had been advised by telegraph of the burning of his store.

Mr. Pixley stated that the store was situated upon the northeast corner of the public square, in a building owned by a daughter of the late Judge David Davis, of Illinois. It was established there in 1879, and has been under the management of R. H. Parmalee, who is now in this city on his vacation. The store was a double one, occupying a floor space of 42x100 feet, first story and basement.

Little more than a week ago the ceiling of one of the rooms fell, doing some damage to the stock, and a special sale was in progress while extensive improvements to the building were being made. Manager Read, of the Fort Wayne store, was at Bloomington but a few days ago on business connected with these improvements, and it was to have been made the model store of the city. The fire started in the diagonal corner of the block occupied by the Pixley store.

While Mr. Pixley had not been fully advised as to the exact extent of his loss, he announced that business would be resumed at Bloomington as soon as possible. The point has always been a good one for the business, and within a short time he hoped to place a new stock in the city.

COUNTY CLERK BELOT IS WED

LED MISS MARY M. REILLY TO THE HYMENIAL ALTAR.

Pretty Ceremony at the Cathedral This Morning—Northward on a Wedding Tour.

Frank J. Belot, clerk of Allen county, and Miss Mary M. Reilly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Reilly, were united in marriage this morning, the pretty ceremony being solemnized at the Cathedral at 7 o'clock. Rev. P. J. O'Reilly was the officiating clergyman.

A very large company of friends of the contracting couple were present to witness the ceremony, and high mass was celebrated. The bride was attended by Miss Mary A. Belot, a sister of the groom, and J. A. Reilly, jr., a brother of the bride, officiated as best man. The costumes of both bride and maid were exquisite creations of the modiste's art.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the bridal party was driven to the home of the bride's parents, four miles west of the city, where a large number of friends and relatives had assembled, and a very elaborate wedding breakfast was served.

This afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Belot left for Mackinac, and from thence they will go to Quebec. Upon their return home, about the middle of July, they will occupy Mr. Belot's handsome new residence on Spy Run avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Belot will have the most sincere congratulations of the widest circle of friends. Mr. Belot has become particularly well and favorably known since his incumbency of the clerk's office, and his bride is a gifted and charming young lady who stands high in the esteem of every acquaintance.

REFUSED TO SERVE WARRANT

Solomon Stauffer, justice of the peace of Maumee township, has filed an affidavit in Justice Bullerman's court charging Charles Kees, a Maumee township constable, with failure to serve a warrant for the arrest of William Driver, charged with profanity. The allegation is that Kees refused to act. Later an affidavit was filed against Driver in Fort Wayne and he was fined and now the Maumee township justice wants to punish his constable for failure to do his duty. The case is being tried this afternoon.

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THREE UNHAPPY COUPLES

JUDGE VESEY HEARS TWO DIVORCE CASES.

One New Application Filed—News Gathered in the Courts in One Day.

Judge Vesey this morning heard the evidence in the divorce case of Maria E. Johnson vs. Frank O. Johnson and granted the wife a decree. She was also given the custody of the three minor children.

This afternoon Judge Vesey is sitting as special judge in the circuit court hearing the evidence in the divorce suit of Mary J. Bolinger vs. Jacob Bolinger. Hartman & Stokes are plaintiff's attorneys and W. H. Shambaugh represents the defendant.

Charles Romy, through his attorney, W. H. Shambaugh, has commenced proceedings for divorce from his wife, Bertha Romy. The couple were divorced once and remarried.

NOTES.

The superior court jury, which has been hearing evidence in the case of McClellan vs. Scott, retired at noon for deliberation.

The last will and testament of the late Anna B. Schmitt has been filed for probate. She gives to her daughter Clara a sewing machine, to Rosa a cow and to Frances $50. The balance of the property is divided share and share alike among the three sons and three daughters.

OPENED THE BIDS.

The county commissioners opened bids Monday afternoon for the electrical fixtures in the new court house. There were only three bidders, as follows:

Oxley & Enos Manufacturing Co., New York	$19,800
A. Hattersley & Sons	18,900
Black & Boyd Manufacturing Co., New York	21,962

The commissioners took the bids under advisement and will decide Thursday afternoon. The bidders all have samples of their fixtures, which the commissioners are now examining.

NOTES.

John Morris, jr., resigned as judge pro tem. of the circuit court and J. B. Harper was appointed to preside during the balance of the term. Judge O'Rourke is still confined to his home.

The county auditor and the county treasurer are moving their offices into the new court house.

Hiram Ward was granted a divorce from Mary Ward by Special Judge John Morris, jr.

BOARD OF WORKS.

The board of works at the meeting held Monday afternoon received a remonstrance against the granting of a franchise on Montgomery street to the Maumee Valley Traction company. The remonstrance was presented by Councilman E. J. Ehrman. George A. Gale and Creighton Williams. Every property owner on the street had attached his name to the instrument.

C. E. Moellering & Co. were granted permission to lay under private contract sidewalks on the south side of Holman street, from Clinton to Clay.

B. B. Hanna, agent for the manufacturers of creosoted paving block, was granted permission to lay a crossing sidewalk at the corner of Harrison and Main streets. Mr. Hanna wants to demonstrate the durability and attractiveness of creosoted blocks and will put down the crossing free.

SPEILMAN-ROHBACH.

The marriage of Miss Kate Speilman and Henry Rohbach took place at 11 o'clock this morning at 181 East Lewis street, Rev. J. W. Lake, pastor of Calvary U. B. church, officiating. The ceremony was performed in the presence of but a few of the friends and relatives of the couple. Mr. Rohbach is an employe of the Bowser works.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hottel are in Columbia City visiting for a few days with the family of Prof. C. L. Hottel.

Mrs. John Clayton, of Huntington, visited Fort Wayne friends yesterday.

SUPT. STUDY IS RE-ELECTED

WILL HEAD CITY SCHOOLS FOR THREE YEARS MORE.

Prof. Lane Rescinds His Contract and is Chosen Principal of High School—His Letter.

Prof. Chester T. Lane rescinded his contract as superintendent of the Fort Wayne schools, made with the old school board a short time ago, and Prof. Justin N. Study was re-elected superintendent for the period of three years at an annual salary of $3,000. Prof. Lane was re-elected principal of the high school, a position which he has held for twenty-one years.

All this was accomplished at a meeting of the school board on Monday evening. Secretary Felts was not present and the business was transacted by President Hamilton and Treasurer Rockhill. Mr. Lane's letter offering to rescind his contract had been in the hands of the board several days and it reads as follows:

"Fort Wayne, Ind., June 14, 1900.—Gentlemen: It seems to be the general public opinion that Professor Study should be appointed superintendent of our public schools. While the appointment tendered me was unsolicited and came without any seeking or request on my part, and a valid contract has been executed, securing such appointment, still I sincerely feel that if public opinion demands Professor Study's appointment, you should not be embarrassed by the contract made with me.

"Therefore, I now offer to rescind the contract appointing me superintendent of our public schools.

"Respectfully,

"Chester T. Lane.

"To the Board of School Trustees of the City of Fort Wayne."

In accepting Mr. Lane's offer the board restored the salary of the superintendent to its former figure, $3,000, and then re-appointed Mr. Lane principal for one year at an unchanged salary of $1,800. Both contracts were closed last evening. It is understood that Prof. Study had an excellent offer to become superintendent of the city schools at Akron, Ohio, but this was declined when last evening's outcome was foreseen several days ago.

The only other business transacted by the board Monday evening was the reappointment of the present library force, with an additional member in the person of Miss Sarah Sturgis.

MR. ROCKHILL'S BOND.

W. W. Rockhill filed his bond of $250,000 as treasurer of the school board Monday with County Auditor Meyer. The names of the following gentlemen appear as bondsmen: J. W. White, Edward White, Max B. Fisher, William P. Breen, Alfred Hattersley, Samuel M. Foster, Chas. A. Wilding, George W. Pixley, A. B. Trentman, M. C. MacDougall, H. C. Rockhill.

CALEDONIAN GAMES

At the regular meeting of the Caledonian society on Monday evening preliminary arrangements were made for the annual Scottish games to be given this year. The games will be held in Robinson park, probably in September, although the date has not been definitely settled. The Caledonian games are always interesting and the events this year will be fully up to the standard. Some special features will be introduced at the games this year.

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500 Ladies' Shirt Waists, in Lawns, Dimities, etc., were 50c, go at the special price of 39c this week.

25 Plain White Silk Parasols, fully worth $2.00, for this week, $1 50 each.

25 White Silk Parasols with ruffles, the $2 00 kind, at $1 69 each.

Fine Silk Parasols, fancy covers with deep chiffon ruffles, were $2.90, at $2 38 each.

Colored Silk Umbrellas, can be used rain or shine, worth $1 90, at $1 50 each.

Black Silk Umbrellas, fine quality cover, usually sold for $1 50, at $1.00 each.

A fine line of Plain and Fancy Tuckings, for Shirt Waists, Yokes, etc, at 50c, 62 1-2c, 75c and $1.00 yard: every one worth 25c more on the yard.

Fancy Puffings, for Yokings or whole Waists, each piece marked extremely low in price for this week, at $1.00, $1.25, $1 39, $1 50 yard.

Silk Mitts, Ladies and Misses, the 39c number, for 25c a pair.

Silk Gloves, worth 50c and 65c, at 39c and 50c pair respectively.

Ladies' Wayne Knit Hosiery, in tan, the regular 25c brand, at 19c a pair, or 3 pair for 50c.

Ladies' Summer Underwear, fully worth 15c, for this week 10c each.

Porch Pillows, were 25c, for this week, 19c each.

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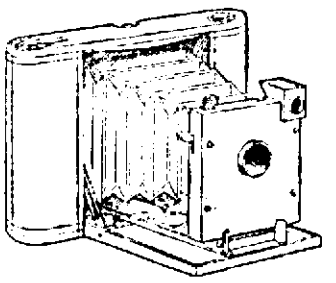

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LOCAL NEWS.

J. B. Pellen transacted business in Bluffton on Monday.

H. W. Ten Broeck is in Bluffton today on a business trip.

Miss Ella Anderson has returned from a visit in Kenton, Ohio.

H. I. McClellan, of Huntington, was a visitor in the city on Monday.

Ralph Lane returns from Ann Arbor tomorrow for the summer vacation.

Mrs. T. J. Guin, of Salida, Ohio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. D. Ohneck.

Master Roderick Fitch is in Huntington, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Reynolds.

The painters and decorators will hold a special meeting this evening in Olympia band hall.

Miss Grace Meek is home from Kendallville, where she spent Sunday with the Misses Brainerd.

Walter Barrett was in Ann Arbor on Monday, arranging to enter the college to take a law course this fall.

Mrs. A. M. Tower, of 463 South Webster street, entertained the South Side Aid society last evening at tea.

The Tailors' union received five new members last evening. Officers will be elected on Monday evening, July 2.

Attorney F. H. Kleecamp is in Ann Arbor, Mich., attending the reunion of the University of Michigan class of 1893.

The National Union will give a smoker and entertainment to members on the second Wednesday evening in July.

Ben Hur court No. 15 will elect officers next Monday evening. Three candidates were admitted to membership last night.

Mrs. Isabel Bradley is attending the commencement exercises at Bloomington university, where her daughter, Laura, is a student.

Misses Minna and Lillie Nestle and Misses Tilla and Olga Anderson are home from a visit with Misses Lizzie and Maggie Baade in Kendallville.

The ladies of the A. O. H. will hold their annual meeting this evening instead of Wednesday evening. The officers for the year will be elected.

There will be a most important meeting of Edwards camp, M. W. of A., this evening. The committee on uniforms will present their report.

Al Alter treated the Newsboys' union to a picnic at the park on Monday. The boys attended the theater and had a most pleasurable time.

Mrs. Ada Greenawald and baby, of Van Wert, Ohio, are in the city, the guests of Mrs. Greenawald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Donnell, of Walnut street.

Fort Wayne lodge, K. of P., No. 116, will confer the third degree upon several candidates this evening. A smoker will follow the lodge exercises.

Contractors Korte & Bruick have been awarded the contract for the construction of a $4,000 double brick veneer residence for Walter Miller, on West Main street.

Mrs. A. J. Elder, of Defiance, Ohio, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Bauer. Mrs. Elder was summoned home on account of the serious illness of her grandmother, Mrs. Martin.

Architects Kendrick & Bradley have completed plans for a residence for Dr. Chris Browand, of Garrett. The house will be a two-story frame structure containing six rooms and will cost about $1,700.

Lakeside residents have organized a club to be known as the Onion club. Members are not permitted to partake of any food but bread and butter and onions at a regular meeting of the club, on pain of suspension.

J. C. Altman, of Huntington, was in the city yesterday en route to Europe. He was accompanied by the Misses Josie and Mary Cox, who will accompany him as far as New York. They will sail from there to Antwerp.

The men's meeting at the R. R. Y. M. C. A. next Sunday will be in charge of the devotional committee and will be a song service and experience meeting. The Miller brothers will give special music, together with the regular Y. M. C. A. quartet.

The contract for the mason work on the new grain elevator to be erected at Gair Creek by the Woodburn Elevator company was awarded to the firm of Wehrenberg & Buesching, contractors, of this city. The work of excavating and the foundation work will commence at once.

BICYCLE RACE.

An interesting bicycle race took place at 4:30 o'clock this morning on the Swinney park track between M. Reiling and Fred Ranke, of the Wayne Knitting mills, for a purse of $5. These riders are conceded to be the best in the mills and much interest was manifested in the race. Quite a number of friends of the two men were at the park this morning to witness the contest, which was very close. The total distance run was two and one-half miles, five times around the track, and the winner was Mr. Ranke, who came under the tape about three feet ahead of Mr. Reiling.

Miss Lillian Pierce is ill.

Clerks' union No. 236 will elect officers this evening.

J. C. Donaldson, a prominent Cleveland coal representative, is in the city.

C. L. Ayres, of Indianapolis, transacted business in the city on Monday.

Miss Dyke Beals, of Columbia avenue, who was seriously ill, is now rapidly improving.

Charles Wiersche has returned from Monmouth, Ill., and will accept a position in this city.

W. H. Harris, of the Woodburn Elevator company, is in the city today on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lehman are in Chicago to attend the wedding of Mrs. Lehman's brother.

J. E. Dalton this afternoon accepted a position in the office of the Bergdoff Brewing company.

Landlord LaParle, of the Hotel Huntington, was registered at the New Aveline yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Merker, of Grand Rapids, are visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mills.

Master Eugene Williams will go to Huntington to remain with his grandmother the remainder of the summer.

Charles Hughes, Carl Woodworth, Carl Diether and Ray Barrows are at Rome City on a two-weeks' camping expedition.

Mrs. H. O. Wilson and little daughter have returned from Huntington, where they were visiting Mrs. W. A. Zeller, sr., mother of Mrs. Wilson.

Prof. J. N. Study and J. F. Federspiel, of Fort Wayne council, No. 837, National Union, are attending a convention of that order at Richmond today.

The new Cecilian male chorus will give its initial concert this evening at Kimball hall and some of the best musical talent in the city will assist the chorus. Prof. Miles is in charge of the program and the event promises to be highly enjoyable.

THE NATIONAL PROHIBITION CONVENTION

At Chicago, Ill. The Nickel Plate Road will sell tickets on June 26th and 27th, good returning until the 29th, inclusive, at one fare for the round trip. Write, wire, 'phone or call on nearest agent or C. A. Asterlin, T. P. A., Fort Wayne, Ind.

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WILL MEET TONIGHT.

A meeting of the Fort Wayne Fish and Game Protective society will be held in the rooms of the Commercial club this evening and at that time the work of perfecting the local organization will be completed. Much interest has been shown in the new movement and the society is certain to have a large membership.

BARBERS SELECT OFFICERS.

Fort Wayne Barbers' union No. 14 chose the following officers at a meeting held Monday evening: President, J. G. Werkman; vice president, Charles F. Hanker; recording secretary, N. G. Davidson; corresponding financial secretary, J. O. Hattery; treasurer, Henry Guenther; guide, Frank Reaser; guardian, B. F. Rollins; finance committee, Messrs. Sam Errington, Dudley Knight, Henry Hohman; trustees, Messrs. C. B. Bryson, William H. DeCamp, F. L. Holyes.

COFFEE COMPLEXION.

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"Coffee caused dark colored blotches on my face and body. I had been drinking it for a long while and these blotches gradually appeared, until finally they became permanent and were about as dark as coffee itself.

"I formerly had as fine a complexion as any one could ask for.

"When I became convinced that coffee was the cause of my trouble, I changed and took to using Postum Cereal Food Coffee, and as I made it well, according to directions, I liked it very much, and have since that time used it entirely in place of coffee.

"I am thankful to say I am not nervous any more, as I was when I was drinking coffee, and my complexion is now as fair and good as it was years ago. It is very plain that the coffee caused the trouble. Please omit my name from public print." Mrs. —, 2081 Ogden avenue, Chicago, Ill. The name of this lady can be given by the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

Most bad complexions are caused by some disturbance of the stomach and coffee is the greatest disturber of digestion known. Almost any woman can have a fair complexion if she will leave off coffee and use Postum Food Coffee and nutritious, healthy food in proper quantity. The food coffee furnishes certain parts of the natural grains from the field that nature uses to rebuild the nervous system and when that is in good condition one can depend upon a good complexion as well as a general healthy condition of the body.

OFFICERS CHOSEN.

Cigarmakers' union No. 37 elected the following officers on Monday evening: President, W. T. Jeffries; vice president, Levy Bender; financial and corresponding secretary, L. P. Sanders; recording secretary and treasurer, H. C. Coover; label custodian, W. Waltemath; sergeant-at-arms, George Humbrecht; finance committee, L. P. Allen, H. C. Hoeltje, A. Bertrand; trustees, H. Cohen, August Brandt, T. R. Spalding; executive board, Levi Bender, L. P. Sanders, H. C. Coover, C. Kreutzer, W. Waltemath.

A MONSTER DEVIL FISH

Destroying its victim is a type of Constipation. The power of this malady is felt on organs, nerves, muscles and brain. But Dr. King's New Life Pills are a safe and certain cure. Best in the world for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels. Only 25 cents, at Dreier Bros.' Drug Store.

Mrs. Clara Diana Stacy will give a health talk at Trinity M. E. church, corner Cass and Fourth streets, Wednesday, 3 p. m., subject, "The Responsibility of Life." All ladies interested are cordially invited.

18t2

MEN'S SUITINGS.

Spring line now in at G. Schmidt's, Merchant Tailor, 57 E. Berry street. Phone 510. 27t2

FOR RENT.

The store room recently vacated by Kimball Piano Co., 109 Calhoun street. Kimball hall in connection. Apply, 109 Calhoun street or Sentinel office. 5tf

Call on Madame Wing, the only reliable clairvoyant and mind reader in the world. All correspondence promptly attended to. Office and residence, 28 Chicago street. Price, 50c. 13tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping at 39 West Washington St. 4-tf

FOR RENT—Five-room house on Maumee avenue with bath room. Call at Tremont Hotel, 233 Calhoun. 18-3t

FOR RENT—The store recently vacated by Kimball Piano Co.; Kimball hall in connection. Apply, Sentinel office. tf

FOR RENT—If you want money on household goods see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18tf

FOR RENT—Ten-room house after May 1st; all modern conveniences, at 142 East Berry street. Inquire at 140 East Berry street. 14tf

FOR RENT—Fourteen room residence on West Berry street; 3 well-located lots for sale cheap. Swayne & Swayne, 15 West Main street. 3-22-2m

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front room, with board, bath and all modern conveniences; also a side room. 29 East Washington street. 16-1mo

FOR RENT—Two desirable rooms at 110 W. Jefferson; one on first floor and one on second floor; can be arranged for two gentlemen or husband and wife. 19-4t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping; centrally located; also furnished rooms, with or without board. Inquire 53 W. Superior St. 18-tf

FOR RENT—Eleven-room house at 50 West Wayne; all modern conveniences; ready for occupancy by the 11th of this month. Inquire at 44 West Wayne street. 4tf

FOR RENT—The three-story building at No. 11 West Main street, third building west of the Hamilton National bank. Inquire of S. B. Bond, at the Old National bank. 3-9-tf

FOR RENT—Two desirable cottages on Walloon or Bear Lake. Furnished for light housekeeping or convenient to boarding house. For terms address G. J. Robinson, Talcott, Mich. M21-1m

FOR RENT—Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either on Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1082, new 'phone. 10tf

FOR RENT—Eight-room house and bath room, with hot and cold water; furnace; electric lights, etc.; newly built, on West Wayne street; nice neighborhood; pleasant surroundings. Apply to College Place Improvement Co., Room 7, Pixley Block. 18-1mo

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WANTED.

WANTED—An office boy at 88 Clinton street. 19t2

WANTED—A barber at once; steady job. Apply at Dr. C. Nebro's, 41 West Main street. 19-2t

WANTED—Day boarders; meal ticket $3.50; excellent dinners. Tremont hotel, 233 and 235 Calhoun St. 18-6t

WANTED—If you want to borrow money see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18tf

WANTED—A girl for general housework, also a nurse girl. Apply at Mrs. L. A. Centlivre's, 481 Spy Run ave. 18tf

WANTED—A boy about 18 years old who wants to study dentistry and who speaks German. Boston Dental Parlors, 74 Calhoun St. 19-2t

WANTED—A young man as solicitor; good opportunity for right person; must come well recommended. Call at Room 15, Arcade, second floor. 18t2

WANTED—We put lawn mowers in the best of order at the South Wayne Novelty Works, No. 39 S. Miner Street; called for and delivered. 'Phone No. 514. 15tf

WANTED—New ideas. A good living can be made at labor. Fortunes are made in patents. W. G. Burns, patent attorney, 80 Calhoun St., Fort Wayne, Ind. 3-tf

WANTED—Are you sick? You can get well; use Perfected Oxygenor King; endorsed by hundreds of citizens. Rooms 3 and 4 Schmitz block, C. W. Bussard, Mgr. 12-1mo

WANTED—Gentlemen of good address to represent a large Chicago firm in this city; clean, light work; good pay. Apply today or Tuesday F. J. Gibbons, Randall house. 18t2

WANTED—A cure is certain; our scientific instruments for self-use can be guaranteed to cure constipation, piles and dyspepsia. Fort Wayne Oxygenor Co., Rooms 3 and 4 Schmitz block. 12-1mo

WANTED—Attractive young lady, independently wealthy, wishes to marry soon; would assist kind, capable husband in business; bank and other reference. Miss D. L., 5808 Michigan avenue, Chicago, Ill. 16t3

WANTED—Lady to represent large western business house here; must write fair hand; good pay and chance for advancement; answer at once in own writing; state single, married or widow. Z. Wright, General Delivery, City.

WANTED—If you want money on your household furniture, horses, carriages, pianos and other like security on easy payments; everything left in your possession; call and see us. The Reliance Loan Co., Room 6, Arcade, upstairs; open every evening. 18-1mo

WANTED—All afflicted with a cough of long standing, resulting from la grippe or weak lungs, or hemorrhages, should try my cough and lung syrup, an old Indian remedy, made of roots and herbs; it has never been known to fail. Call at 35 Fairfield avenue. 24tf

WANTED—Employment office, at Mrs. Fitzgerald's, 128 Calhoun street, second floor; wanted cooks for in and out of city; second girls and girls for general housework; good wages; no charges to girls; have a man wants work as stationary fireman or janitor. 16-tf

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; we teach the work in two months and include complete outfit of tools for $30; $15 weekly guaranteed when competent; this offer is made on account of the demand for graduates, and is good until July only; you can earn scholarship, board, tools and transportation if desired. Make application by mail at once. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 16-6t

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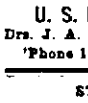

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FOR SALE—New seven-room house with improvements, on South Broadway. Address Box 5, this office. 22-1m

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FOR SALE—Light driving wagon, newly painted, and good set of buggy harness; both for $15. Call, 184 E. DeWald St.

FOR SALE—Modern residence at 22 East DeWald; owner none-resident; desires an offer. W. E. Doud, Agent, Calhoun and Berry. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A first-class restaurant in the best of locations, doing a fine business; good reasons for selling. Address A. B. S., care Sentinel. 19-6t

FOR SALE—Lot on East Madison street, on which there are two houses; will rent for $19.00 per month; price $2,200; free. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Ten lots, 30X183 feet, on Hanna street pavement, opposite Industrial park, for $2,100, subject to unpaid improvements. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Several nice building lots on W. Fourth street; price from $550 up; pavement paid. W. E. Doud, cor. Calhoun and Berry. 6tf

FOR SALE—Six-room cottage, full lot; on Erie street; reduced from $1,600 to $1,350; must sell by June 1. W. E. Doud, Cor. Calhoun and Berry. 7-tf

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FOR SALE—The three-story building corner of Berry and Harrison streets, known as the Minde block. Inquire of S. B. Bond, at the Old National Bank. 3-9-tf

FOR SALE—One of the best known machine shops in Fort Wayne; bicycle and machine repairs specialties. For information address Box 4, Sentinel. 8tf

FOR SALE—Modern residence; 7 rooms and bath; central south; street paved sewers made. Owner leaving city. $2,500. W. E. Doud, Calhoun and Berry. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Two choice building lots on Harrison street; pavement; each 45 feet front; price $1,300 and $1,500; pavement and sewers paid. W. E. Doud, Calhoun and Berry. 7-tf

FOR SALE—The three-story building No. 11 West Main street, third building west of the Hamilton National bank. Inquire of S. B. Bond at the Old National bank. 3-9-tf

FOR SALE—New residence on East Pontiac street; latest improvements; small payment wanted down, the rest in monthly payments. Inquire 173 East Pontiac street. 18-2t

FOR SALE—The best residence property in the city; lot 75x150 feet; frame house, 13 rooms; good cellar; 2 large cisterns; well, city water; best of reasons for selling. Call on or address M. F. Schmetzer, Room 12, Pixley-Long bldg. 23tf

FOR SALE—Two small brick dwellings, 230 and 232 Walton avenue; each lot 40 feet frontage; also three dwellings on Maumee avenue, opposite Concordia college; well improved, will sell cheap if taken in 30 days. Inquire at 152 Maumee avenue. L. Bechtold. 19-1m

LOST.

LOST—Sunday afternoon while driving pearl beads with gold medal. Liberal reward will be paid for its return to this office.

LOST—Directory for Berry street M. E. church, on either Wilt, Lavina or Fairfield avenue. Finder leave at 26 W. Berry street and receive reward.

LOST—On Friday evening, about 4.30 o'clock between Hope hospital and the state institution, a small leather hand valise containing a pocketbook, some gloves and other articles. Finder will be rewarded. Call or address, superintendent, Feeble Minded Youth. 10

BEECHAM'S PILLS Cure Indigestion, Constipation, Clear Headache.

10 cents and 25 cents, at all drug stores.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 1900.

READERS OF THE SENTINEL WHEN TAKING THEIR SUMMER VACATIONS, CAN HAVE THE PAPER SENT TO THEM FOR TEN CENTS A WEEK. THE ADDRESS WILL BE CHANGD AS OFTEN AS DESIRED.

TONIGHT.

Machinists—Regular meeting of Union No. 70 at Shamrock hall.

Plasterers—Regular meeting of Union No. 70, at No. 64 East Main street.

Clerks—Regular meeting of Union No. 288 at No. 27 East Berry street.

Stonecutters—Regular meeting of Fort Wayne branch at the corner of Main and Clinton streets, third floor.

Lodges—Grand Fraternity; Order of the Red Cross; Fort Wayne, No. 116, K. of P.; St. Julian Council No. 87, C. B. L.; Fort Wayne, No. 1, Daughters of Workmen; Edwards Camp, No. 3127, Modern Woodmen; Wayne Castle, No. 2, Knights of the Golden Eagle; Degree of Honor No. 2; Canton Fort Wayne, No. 17, Patriarchs Militant; Lodge of Perfection, A. A. S. R.; Home, No. 342, F. & A. M.; Allen, No. 29, Degree of Honor.

Picnic and Social—The Eintracht Singing society at Centlivre park.

The republican elephant has become almost wholly intractable on the question of the vice presidency and Mahout Hanna bids fair to be dumped from his howdah.

For a rough rider and broncho buster, habituated to do things strenuously if not violently, Governor Roosevelt is toying with the vice presidency in a fashion that betrays a delicate touch in politics.

The announcement that a "Boer plank" is to be inserted in the republican platform will cause smiles, if not laughter. That would be about as delicate a bit of political humor as that sardonic master of politics, Mark Hanna, could conceive. The republican chairman can leap from grave to gay with an ebullient readiness that is perfectly acrobatic, and never turns a hair or lose his place in the procession.

HE HONORS HIMSELF.

Prof. C. T. Lane's resignation from the superintendency of the Fort Wayne schools was in deference to the unanimous public sentiment which has regarded Superintendent Study's removal as altogether without cause and wholly unwarranted. The people of Fort Wayne have insisted upon the removal of Superintendent Study as a proceeding that must be set aside if possible. Reconsideration of the school board action is possible if Professor Lane consents to abrogation of his contract with the former school board. Professor Lane has unselfishly responded to the occasion, putting the interests of the schools and their welfare first in his consideration. It is no other than a spirit of courage and unselfishness that is equal to such a sacrifice of financial considerations and personal ambition, for it might seem to the ambition of Professor Study, an instructor in the public schools of Indiana to attain to the superintendency of the Fort Wayne schools. The reappointment of Superintendent Study effectually stops such a embittered and demoralizing agitation of the school question and such tangible expression and impression of active and indignant public sentiment that has condemned from the very outset the summary dismissal of Superintendent Study. Professor Lane has honored himself and the people of Fort Wayne will, therefore, honor him. We believe that no opportunity to substantially express their high appreciation of his gracious and generous action will be allowed to pass unimproved by the citizens of this city. Meanwhile the whole distressing affair has been resolved into a state of complete settlement which there is no occasion to further disturb.

JUDGE BAKER IS PRESIDING

FEDERAL COURT CONVENED THIS MORNING.

Big Patent Suit Is Having a Hearing—Other Actions Are Disposed Of.

The June term of the United States district court convened this morning in the government building, with Hon. John H. Baker presiding. Other officials of the court in attendance are Noble C. Butler, clerk, of Indianapolis; Deputy Clerk T. J. Logan, of this city, and Deputy United States Marshal E. O. Rose, of Angola. John A. Scott, John Solliday and Captain Hoil, of this city, are officiating as bailiffs.

The greater portion of the day has been occupied in hearing the case of George E. Johnson et al. vs. John S. McCurdy. The action is a suit for infringement of patent whereby Mr. Johnson and his associates in the Peerless Dental Cuspidor company, of this city, seek to enjoin Mr. McCurdy from using a dental cuspidor which is claimed to be an infringement upon the patents owned by the plaintiffs. Judge R. S. Taylor and Chapin & Penny appear for the plaintiffs, while Coburn, Hibben & McElroy, of Chicago, represent the defendants. Each contestant has submitted many models of the machinery in question to sustain his position, and it is likely the entire day will be occupied in this case.

The case of Seymour G. Smith vs. the City of Fort Wayne, an action for damages growing out of the purchase of the crematory, has been continued.

The suit of Herbert H. Thorpe et al. vs. Michael Finsh, for commissions on the sale of bicycles, has been continued.

The Consolidated Store Service company vs. James H. Foley, an action on patent, has been continued.

The damage suit of Alva Brandon vs. the Minnesota Threshing company, has been dismissed.

Carl Zipernowsky vs. Fort Wayne Electric company, an action on patent matter, is continued.

In the case of Frank Long vs. W. H. Koblinger company, Judge Baker issued a decree dismissing the bill for want of equity, at the costs of the complainant.

The action of George F. Eldred vs. William F. Kessler was dismissed for want of equity at complainant's cost.

John C. Hull vs. Milard W. Simons et al., a suit on bonds, was dismissed by Judge Baker at complainant's costs for failure to file amended bill.

William F. Kessler vs. Herbert J. Inks, action dismissed for want of equity.

George S. Eldred vs. Star Electric company; case is continued.

The case of the United States vs. Edward L. Shell and William S. Compton was continued.

STEWART-ZURBUCH.

One of the largest weddings that has taken place at St. Patrick's Catholic church for some time was that of Miss May Stewart and Peter Zurbuch, which occurred at 9 o'clock this morning, Rev. Father Delaney officiating. The bride was attired in a most becoming costume of white organdie and carried a white prayer book. The bridesmaid was Miss Nenne Sullivan, of Chicago, who wore a pink costume and carried pink roses. The groomsman was Will Zurbuch. High mass was celebrated and the choir of St. Patrick's was assisted by a number of the soloists of the Cathedral, Carl Weber, Adolph Schulte, Frank Manuel, Barney Krull and Mr. Freiburger. A charming feature of the singing was the duet, "O Salutarius," sung by Barney Krull and Carl Webber, of the Cathedral. After the ceremony a wedding repast was served at the home of the bride's mother, after which Mr. and Mrs. Zurbuch left on their wedding trip to Cincinnati, Louisville, Chicago and other cities. They will be at home with the bride's mother after July 1.

A LIFE AND DEATH FIGHT.

Mr. W. A. Hines, of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery which wholly cured me. Hundreds have used it on my advice and all say it never fails to cure Throat, Chest and Lung troubles." Regular size 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at Dreier Bros.' drug store.

Mrs. J. S. Gilliland, of Bluffton, spent Monday with Fort Wayne friends.

The Ladies' society of Westminster church will meet with Mrs. Griebel, 138 Wells street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

CIRCUS IS A CITY IN ITSELF

SEVENTY CARS HAUL SELLS-FOREPAUGH SHOWS.

A Small Army of People are Carried by this Mammoth Amusement Enterprise.

The combined Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' circuses are easily one of the most prominent institutions in the country. The following summary will convey an idea of its magnitude: The huge tented outfit is moved from town to town on seventy-four cars, all of which are sixty feet in length and require four of the most powerful locomotives ever built to haul them. These cars are owned by the show management and were built especially for them. Experts pronounce it the finest railroad equipment ever owned by a circus establishment. In addition to the cars used in transporting the show plant, there are four advance advertising cars, they, too, being the property of the circus.

The number of employes in various capacities is legion. The list is as follows: Twenty-five agents, 80 bill posters, 150 canvas men, 125 grooms, 10 property men, 20 wardrobe men, 12 chandelier men, 40 razer-backs or trainmen, 35 cook house men, 50 animal men, 15 dining car men, 12 sleeping car porters, 300 equestrians, acrobats, vaulters, gymnasts and other aerial performers, and Merrick's military band of 40 musicians. Then there are the jockeys and charioteers of the hippodrome. The executive staff accompanying the show is unusually complete. It includes a manager with eight assistants; a treasurer, with four assistants; a boss canvasman, with eight assistants; a boss hustler, with six assistants; a superintendent of transportation; a superintendent of menagerie; a museum superintendent, and two Pinkerton detectives. The side show and concert people number eighty-five.

The management of the Forepaugh-Sells federation is the only important circus aggregation that will visit this section of the country this season. Its only possible rival, the Barnum & Bailey show, is now in England. The route of Buffalo Bill's Wild West has been shaped so as not to include any towns played by Forepaugh and Sells.

There can be little hazard in predicting a right royal reception for the huge Forepaugh-Sells combination on the occasion of its visit here on Thursday.

MEMORIAL TRIBUTE.

Mary Maude Mains, wife of Frank J. Mains, and daughter of L. and J. M. Judy, was born April 19, 1873. She died June 10, 1900. The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. Charles E. White, Tuesday, June 12, when, followed by the dearest friends on earth, her silent form was taken to Geneva, Ind., and on the next day, after an appropriate address, the handsome casket, containing all that was mortal of this good woman, was placed to rest near the home of her childhood. She was beautiful in life and lovely in death, and now that she is gone our memory of her is sweet as the highest perfume.

She would have remained with us if she could have done it, for life was full of interest for her and her attachment for her friends was very strong. But her lips have been sealed in an unbroken silence and yet they seem to speak to us and tell us of the love she bore for us and to tell us whither she has gone. As long as she could talk to us she did it, and with her parting breath she tried to sing the praises of Jesus. And now we think it is only to us she is silent, for she still sings and that, too, in far nobler strains that she ever sang to us here. She still rejoices and that, too, in a more triumphant way than she ever rejoiced with us here. With all of this we think that she cannot be very far away. We listen for her, and yet we cannot hear her speak, and we look in vain and we cannot see her coming. But we shall see her some day. So we say, let the seasons come and go and our friends pass away, for we are only hastening to the time when, like she, we will leave this world of sorrow and wrapping the drapery of our dying couch around us lie down and fall into pleasant dreams and wake in glory. We believe that she has only gone before us and some sweet day we shall see her again.

We shall never know her any less than we do today and we shall never love her any less than in the sad hour we saw her leaving us with the gladness of victory in her soul for the shining thoughts of heaven. We want to say much in her favor. All her imperfections and faults, if she had them, are hidden from our view, and we see only her beautiful life and lovely character. She was a dutiful daughter. She was an ideal wife. She was a precious sister and she was a most interesting companion and friend. Truly, none knew her but will speak to her praise. And with all she was a humble follower of Jesus and it was in answer to the beaconing of the sweet angels of heaven that she left us and is now and forever with her Lord.

She was not afraid to die, but her last moments were crowned with praise and happiness. Those who saw her in her last hours could only wish to be as victorious as she when they come to this time.

We loved her much, but Jesus loved her more, and now she has a better home with Him than she could have had in any palace on earth. She left us with a parting blessing for each of us and since she has gone we cease not to think of her. In our thoughts we follow the way resplendent and bright, which she has taken; we unceasingly place love's offering upon her grave and we enshrine her name in our hearts forever.

Here They Are.

Here are Summer Hats of many styles seeking your favor.

You'll probably give preference just now to straws; 25 cents to $1.50.

Or these linen crash coolers at 25c to 75c.

Or do you still prefer the Derby or Tourist?

We have them in the popular summer shades—$1.00, $1.50 and $2.00. Hatters get $2.50 and $3.00 for similar qualities.

Perhaps you like a Crusher. These easily take the lead for favorites. Come already telescoped. Colors white, silver, navy blue, etc. Brand new in shape and style. It'll will please you to see them. Especially adapted for young men's wear.

In short we can furnish you with any style of summer headwear your heart can desire.

THE BELL, Clothiers and Hatters.

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The suit I got at The Bell yesterday is the best I ever bought at $10, and she is quite confident I never got one as good for $15.

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You are hurried, perhaps, and would get a suit of clothes today if you had the time to spare. Give us ten minutes and we will do the rest.

If you are not satisfied, come back and we will remove all difficulties or give your money back.

They are going, these beautiful

Cheviot Suit

Going at $8.75; and, by the way, they are going with a rush. They were made to sell at $12. Do you wonder why we sell so many? If you have any

Summer Suit

Notion in your head, we can please you. Come in and see if we can't.

THE BELL, 13 Calhoun Street.

GLORIOUS NEWS

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which has caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but now her health is excellent." Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cts. Sold by Dreier Bros., Druggists. Guaranteed.

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THE NICKEL PLATE ROAD

Will sell excursion tickets to Kansas City, Mo., account National Democratic Convention, on July 1st, 2d and 3d, at one fare for the round trip, tickets good returning to and including July 9th. Write, wire, 'phone or call on nearest agent or C. A. Astelin, T. P. A., Fort Wayne, Ind. 19 21-26-28-Jy3-w20-27

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Harry Rohrback and Kate Spillman.

Henry T. Siegman and Clara A. Baltes.

Frank X. Keller and Adelia Mason.

Ralph C. Lane and Nellie May Watson.

WILL MEET THIS EVENING.

Official announcement is made that the Bryan Soldier club is reorganizing and the request is made that all of the soldiers of the war of the rebellion and the Spanish-American war who espouse the principles as announced by William Jennings Bryan meet at the Jefferson club hall, in the Tri-State building, third floor, diagonally across from the postoffice, this evening at 7:30. The meeting tonight is for the purpose of perfecting the reorganization. It is announced that the young men of this club will be organized into a marching club and will be duly uniformed. The call is signed by H. W. Dickman, president ex-officio; Samuel Clark, secretary, ex-officio; Samuel M. Heuch, John H. Rohan, Louis Schimeyer, George A. Gale, R. C. Bell, George Turner, B. J. Ellert and C. J. Eckart.

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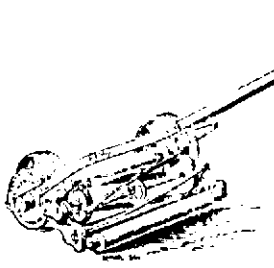

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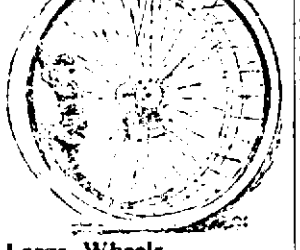

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CONVENTION IS OPEN

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plauded it with a cheer as they took their seats. Chairman Hanna remained standing. He lifted the ungainly gavel and brought it down with a resounding whack. Instantly all eyes were riveted upon him and a wave of applause swept the hall.

Chairman Hanna faced the storm of applause with a resolute face. His stern features did not relax, but he nodded an acknowledgment as the applause broke here and there into a cheer. When it had subsided he brought down the gavel again.

"The convention will come to order," he shouted at exactly 12:35.

"The convention will be opened with prayer," he continued, "by the Rev. J. Gray Bolton, of the Hope Presbyterian church of Philadelphia."

Chairman Hanna remained standing with bowed head while the divine came forward in the black robe to deliver his invocation. But the delegates in the pit remained seated and only here and there stood one. None of the spectators rose.

THE INVOCATION.

All, however, bowed their heads reverently while Rev. Bolton read his prayer from small slips of paper which he held in the hollow of his hand. He said:

"O, Thou who are a spirit infinite, eternal, unchangeable, in Thy being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness and truth. Thou art the sovereign God. The creator, ruler, disposer of us, and all that Thou hast made. Thy thoughts are not our thoughts, nor Thy ways our ways. Thy mercy is not limited to persons and to races, but comprehendeth all that live and breathe. Blessed be Thy name. Thy glory is shown and Thy kingdom established and advanced; in leading men and nations, by ways that they knew not to a land of security and peace. Oh, that men would praise Thee for Thy goodness and for Thy graciousness, and for Thy wonderful works to the children of men. We adore Thee for the way in which Thou hast led us. The glory and honor of our nation is the manifestation of Thy power and glory. Thou hast led us in ways not of our own choosing; ways best for us and most to Thy glory. May we cheerfully follow where Thou leadest. Thou hast been the God of our fathers. Thou art the God of their children. Our trust is in Thee. Save us, O Lord, from ingratitude and discontent. Give us the spirit of praise and thanksgiving. Grant that we, as a nation and a people, may remember Thy goodness and praise Thee for continued life and prosperity. O Lord, our God, let Thy richest blessing rest upon Thy servant, the president of these United States. Imbue him with a competency of Thy divine wisdom, that he may direct the affairs of the nation to Thy glory and the well being of all our people. We humbly beseech Thee, O Lord God, to bless all in authority. Sustain them in their responsible relations to Thee and a free people. O God of all wisdom and grace, grant unto this assembly wisdom, grace and guidance; that in all their deliberations and conclusions Thy name shall be glorified, the honor of this nation maintained and the peace and prosperity of the people established. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen."

As the prayer closed Senator Hanna was again on his feet, and adjusting his eye glasses, said in a resonant voice:

"The secretary of the national committee will now read the call for the convention."

As Colonel Dick stepped forward, call in hand, he was given a ripple of applause. He read the formal call, while the vast assemblage fretted for more vital issues.

HANNA TO THE FRONT.

Again Mr. Hanna was the center of attention. He left the presiding officer's table, and stepping to the front of the platform, surveyed the sea of faces and in a clear voice began his speech of welcome.

"In bidding you welcome," he began, "I also wish to congratulate you on the magnificent representation from the republican party."

There was a round of applause as Mr. Hanna tolled out the words "republican party."

"There was no mistake in bringing the convention to Philadelphia," Mr. Hanna went on. "Here was the cradle of liberty, the birthplace of the republic. Here also had the republican party seen its birth, and here, too, was the center of that great, throbbing idea—the protection of American industry.

Another wave of applause swept over the convention at this mention of the protective principle, and as it subsided Mr. Hanna proceeded:

"We are on the eve of another great struggle. Already we are beginning to form our battalions, under the leadership of our great statesman—General William McKinley."

A GREAT OUTBURST.

That was the signal and for the first time the convention broke forth in a whirlwind of enthusiasm. Men and women sprang to their feet; delegates, spectators, staid old distinguished guests, all animated by a common purpose to do honor to the president. Senator Hanna looked down in smiling satisfaction at the great demonstration. Flags and handkerchiefs waved everywhere in billows of color. For ten seconds, twenty, thirty, a minute, the demonstration kept up, and then, with a wave of the hand, the national chairman bid the assemblage resume their seats and let him proceed.

"I was about to give the order for those battalions to move, but you interrupted me," said Mr. Hanna, jocularly, and the applause was turned to laughter. Again Mr. Hanna evoked a demonstration when, speaking of the approaching campaign, he declared:

"And with such a leader and such a cause, there is no such word as fail."

As Mr. Hanna closed his speech with a tribute to his colleagues on the national committee and a reference to the close of his chairmanship, he spoke of the sterling service of the senator from Colorado, Mr. Wolcott, to his party and presented him to the convention as temporary chairman.

CHAIRMAN HANNA'S ADDRESS.

Chairman Hanna addressed the convention as follows:

"Gentlemen of the Convention: In bidding you welcome I also desire to extend congratulations upon this magnificent gathering of republicans of the great republican party. (Applause). The national committee made no mistake when they brought the national convention to the city of Philadelphia. (Applause). This city, the cradle of liberty (applause), the birth-place of the republican party (applause), this magnificent industrial center, a veritable beehive of industry, what fitter object lesson could be presented to those of us who have gathered here to witness the success of that principle of our party which has been its foundation, the protection of American industries? (Applause). This city that has long and always been known the country over for its unbounded hospitality (applause) and the superb management of all great functions which have come within its limits. On the part of the national committee I desire to extend their sincere thanks to the people of Philadelphia, and especially to your honorable mayor (applause), and those loyal citizens, without regard to party, who have labored with him to make this convention a success. Never in the history of conventions of either political party has a success been greater. Delegates, I greet you on the anniversary in Philadelphia of our party. (Applause). I need not remind you that your duty here is one of deliberate judgment; one that you are held responsible for, not only by your party, but the country. We are called together once more upon the eve of another great struggle.

BATTALIONS FORMING.

"We are now beginning to form our battalions under leadership of our great statesman, General William McKinley. (Continued applause). I was about to give the order for those battalions to move, but you interrupted me. (Laughter). It needs no order to republicans when they scent from afar the smoke of battle; it needs no incentive, men that sit in front of me, to tell them what their duty is. Upon the foundation of our party rests the belief and strength of every member of it.

"Before I lay aside my gavel and retire from the position which I have held as chairman of the national committee for four years I desire, in this presence, in the most public manner, to return my sincere thanks to every member of this splendid committee who stood by me in the struggle of 1896, and especially to that coterie who gathered at the headquarters in New York and Chicago and worked from early morning until late at night for the principles of the republican party and for the welfare of their country. I leave it in the hands of others to tell you what that meant, but in passing to others those duties, I want to make one suggestion, always trust the people (applause), and leave as an inheritance to them the motto of the committee of 1896—"there is no such word as fail." (Applause).

"And now, gentlemen, it becomes my duty and very great pleasure to present as your temporary chairman Senator Wolcott, of Colorado."

OVATION FOR WOLCOTT.

Senator Fairbanks, from the first row of delegates, arose and moved that the selection of Senator Wolcott as temporary chairman be approved and with unanimous voice the delegates so voted.

Senator Wolcott, who was on the platform, arose and came forward. The appearance of the Colorado orator set the convention off like a rocket. Senator Wolcott is still a young man, somewhat jaunty in appearance. He wore a blue sack suit and white vest. There was elasticity in his step as he bowed low to the convention and there was something about him which suggested the freshness of his mountain home.

SENATOR WOLCOTT'S SPEECH.

With a pleasant nod of acknowledgement to Chairman Hanna, he turned and addressed the convention. He spoke in part as follows:

Since the first party convention in these United States, there was never one gathered together under such hopeful and auspicious circumstances as those which surround us today. United, proud of the achievements of the past four years, our country prosperous and happy, with nothing to regret and naught to make us ashamed, with a record spotless and clean, the republican party stands facing the dawn, confident that the ticket it shall present will command public approval, and that in the declaration of its principles and its purposes, it will voice the aspirations and hopes of the vast majority of American freemen.

We need no assurance that our country's cause, yet there is significance in the fact that the convention is assembled in the historic and beautiful city where we first assumed territorial responsibilities, when our fathers, a century and a quarter ago, promulgated the immortal Declaration of Independence.

The spirit of justice and liberty that animated them found voice three-quarters of a century later in this same City of Brotherly Love, when Fremont led the fearless hope of united patriots who laid here the foundations of our party and our human freedom as its corner-stone. It counselled our sires to listen to the cry of suffering across the shallow waters of two-and-thirty years ago. While we observe the law of nations and maintain that neutrality which we owe to a great and friendly government, the same spirit lives today in the generous feeling of sympathy we cherish for the brave men now fighting for their homes in the veldts of South Africa. It prompts us in our determination to give to the dusky races of the Philippines the blessings of good government and republican institutions, and finds voice in our indignant protest against the violent suppression of the rights of the colored man in the south. That spirit will survive in the breasts of patriotic men as long as the nation endures, and the events of the past have taught us that it can find its fair and free and full expression only in the principles and policy of the republican party.

The first and pleasant duty of this great convention, as well as its instinctive impulse, is to send a message of affectionate greeting to our leader and our country's president, William McKinley. In all that pertains to our welfare in times of peace his genius has directed us. He has shown an unerring mastery of the economic problems which confront us and has guided us out of the slough of financial disaster, impaired credit and commercial stagnation, up to the high and safe ground of national prosperity and financial stability. In the delicate and trying events of the late war he stood firm, courageous and conservative, and under his leadership we have emerged triumphant, our national honor untarnished, our credit unassailed, and the equal devotion of every section of our common country to the welfare of the republic cemented forever. Never in the memory of this generation has there stood at the head of the government a truer patriot, a wiser or more courageous leader, or a better example of the highest type of American manhood. The victories of peace and the victories of war are alike inscribed upon his banner. Those of us whose pleasure and duty have called us from time to time into his presence know how freely he has spent and been spent in his country's service, but the same vigorous manhood and clear and patriotic vision animate him as of old, and give us confidence and trust for the future of our republic, because his hand will guide us, and his counsel direct.

So many events of great portent have been crammed into the past months, that we are apt to judge our measure the work of this administration chiefly by the occurrences since the outbreak of the Spanish war. It is worth while for us to recall earlier days.

After recounting the nomination of the republican ticket at St. Louis four years ago and paying a glowing tribute to the late Vice President Hobart, Senator Wolcott proceeded to a review of the three years and more of the McKinley administration. President McKinley, he said, had taken the reins of government after four years of democratic administration, backed by a democratic congress. He assailed the Cleveland administration for the selling of bonds and charged the great panic of 1893 and the widespread industrial distress and commercial depression to the Cleveland administration. Facing these conditions, he said, the McKinley administration began. The Dingley tariff law had restored prosperity and today there was not an idle mill in the country. Mortgages on western farms had been paid by thousands and the figures that illustrated the growing prosperity of the four years of republican administration "well nigh staggered belief." Senator Wolcott reviewed the measures passed during the present administration, enumerating the bankruptcy law, the acquisition of Hawaii and the settlement of the Union Pacific railroad's obligations to the government. Adverting to trusts Senator Wolcott said:

Wherever a republican administration is in power there is constant talk of trusts. The reason isn't far to seek. Aggregations and combinations of capital find their only encouragement in prosperous days and widening commerce. Democratic administration in this country has universally meant industrial stagnation and commercial depression, when capital seeks a hiding place instead of investment. The republican party has always maintained that any combination having for its purpose the earning of a market or the raising or controlling of the price of the necessaries of life was unlawful and should be punished, and a commission appointed by the president under act of congress has made careful investigation and will soon present a full report of the best method of dealing with this intricate question. We shall meet it in some efficient way and as a party, shall have the courage to protect every class of our citizens. There was never a better time to deal with it than now when there isn't in this broad land a man will'n to work who doesn't find employment at fair wages, and when the clamor of the agitator who seeks confiscation and not regulation, falls on dead ears and finds no response from the artisans in our busy workshops.

The campaign four years ago was fought on the currency question. The republican democracy insisted that the United States alone should embark on the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, without waiting the concurrence of any other nation. The republican party insisted that the question of bimetalism was international and that until it should be settled under agreement with the leading commercial nations of the world, gold should continue to be the standard of value in these United States. Upon that issue we triumphed. In accordance with the pledge of the party an honest effort was made to reach some international solution of the question. The effort failed of accomplishment. The mints of the countries of Europe were open for the coinage of gold alone.

Through the policy of the republican party and the wisdom of a republican administration, we have not only made stable and permanent our financial credit, at home and abroad, are utilizing more silver as money than ever before in our history, but we have left the populist democracy a dead issue they can never again galvanize into life, and compelled them to seek to create new issues growing out of a war which they were most eager to precipitate.

May I, a western man, add another word? The passage of this bill, which received the vote of every western republican in congress, marked the termination, forever that of any sort of difference between republicans of the east and of the west, growing out of currency problems. Even if the stern logic of events had not convinced us, our deep and abiding loyalty to the principles of the party, our belief that the judgment of its majority should govern, would lead us to abandon further contention. And the thousands of republicans in the west who left us four years ago are returning home. The men of the far west are born of your bone, and flesh of your flesh. The sun that shines on you silvers them also, and the shadow before your door darkens their homes as well. They are naturally expansionists in the western plains and mountains, and when they join a great political party attacking the integrity of the nation, and leading charge against its insurrectionists, who are hunting down our soldiers and resisting the authority of the United States, all other questions fade and are forgotten, and they find themselves standing shoulder to shoulder in the ranks of the republican party, keeping step always, to the music of the Union.

This is the brief account of our stewardship for four years. During a portion of that period we were involved in a war that for a time paralyzed business and commerce, and would have taxed heavily the resources and credit of any other country than ours, and for the past year or more we have been employing an army of nearly 50,000 men in suppressing an insurrection against our authority 8,000 miles away. No industry has felt the strain of these extraordinary expenses, nor have they affected the general sum of our prosperity. More than that, the conditions resulting from the legislation of the past four years have obliterated every issue that was raised during the last campaign. The democracy, having therefore to find some rallying cry, seek it in the results of our late war with Spain and upon that question, as upon all others, we stand ready to meet them in the open.

We assumed dominion of Porto Rico, Cuba and the Philippines for reasons different to each of them.

We took to ourselves the little island of Porto Rico because it lay under the shadow of our own shores and because its continued occupancy by Spain or by any foreign government would be a constant menace to the States and to that great interoceanic waterway which we shall build and own and operate as an American canal. We found it impoverished by years of colonial misgovernment and without any system of revenue laws. Soon after the peace its people were farther stricken by flood and famine. We assumed towards them every obligation which sympathy and friendship could prompt. We contributed as a nation large sums of money to ameliorate their condition and to enable them to plant and garner their crops. Then we said to them, We shall give you a just and equitable form of free government, with power to manage your home affairs. Until you shall devise proper and efficient methods of revenue and taxation, your needed funds shall be raised as follows: You shall pay upon your imports 15 per cent. of the present tariff rate governing importations into the United States, which means an average duty of about 7 per cent. All the necessaries of life and building materials for the structures you need shall be free. On the 1st day of March, 1902, all these duties shall cease in any event, and shall cease sooner if before that time you can arrange for the needed revenues of the island.

The recommendations of the president were fully and satisfactorily complied with; the people of the island are content, the vast mass of the American people approve, and we have avoided precedents that might vex us when we come to deal with the problems that finally await us in the establishment of our permanent relations towards the people of the Philippine Islands.

There has been much discussion during the past few months in respect to the extent of the power of this country to deal with Porto Rico and our other possessions, and it has been frequently contended by the democracy that as soon as we became the owners of any of these islands the Constitution of the United States of course followed over them or in the wakefulness of this misleading phrase, "The Constitution follows the Flag." The argument is specious, but it will not bear investigation. The same question was raised in 1803, at the time of the Louisiana purchase, and the doctrine then established by congress that we could acquire foreign soil by purchase, that congress had the right to establish there such government as it saw fit, and that the constitution did not of its own force extend over such territory. The doctrine was never questioned until in California's time it was sought to be denied in the effort to extend human slavery into the territories.

The circumstances associated with our possession of Cuba are new and unparalleled in the history of conquests. The cruelties practiced upon its people induced the war. Before we commenced hostile proceedings however, and that the world might know that our hands were clean and that we were not animated by lust for territory, we solemnly disclaimed any disposition or intention to exercise sovereignty, jurisdiction or control over the island except for its pacification and asserted our determination, when that was accomplished, to leave the government and control of the island to its people. To this declaration we still rigorously adhere.

And in this connection it is fitting to say that the peculations and frauds committed in Cuba by subordinate officials have made every American blush with shame, and until the last of the guilty men is arrested and convicted and sentenced that shame will know no abatement. It is no more to be charged to the party than would a theft by a trusted employe be charged against the character of the merchant who employed him. The party that shields and protects dishonest officials forfeits public confidence, not the party that expears and punishes them. The republican party has been rarely the victim of misplaced confidence in its officials. In this instance the appointments were made with the greatest care, many of them from the classified service. Whenever fraud has been discovered the guilty have been pursued unsparingly and with the greatest publicity. So it has been with these three or four office officials, as has it been always.

Had there been no war with Spain this republican instinct, by principle and instinct and tradition to peaceful ways, would have continued the development of our national resources and character within its splendid limits, content in the future as through our entire century, not seeking with it gain of national glory. We are not a warlike or a quarrelsome people. We have never coveted the possession of foreign possessions, and least of all the possession of a war. We seek as the right to protect that which is rightfully ours, to avenge a wrong sought to be perpetrated upon us and to guard this hemisphere from any attempt by foreign powers to further extend their rule over its soil. This has been our creed, and we have looked forward with hope and with confidence to the time when these United States, lying between the two oceans, should lead among the nations of the earth, not by right of the sword, but because the character and high intelligence of our people, and the marvelous resources of our country, would enable us, in the peaceful rivalry of commerce, to dominate eventually the markets of the world. To that end we had for more than a hundred years held ourselves aloof from foreign complications and sought to make ourselves strong from within, with no thought of colonial conquest.

The future of nations, however like the future of man, is hid from mortal vision, and no more than man may a nation choose its own duties. When this war ended and we faced our victory in all its completeness, we found eight millions of people living upon uncounted islands delivered into our hands. Abandonment of them would be confession that while the oppression by Spain of a million and a half of Cubans demanded our armed interference, greater barbarity and cruelty to millions of Filipinos, less able to protect themselves, was a subject of no concern to us. No civilized nation in the world, no Christian nation, could have turned these people back to Spain. Our commissioners, when they signed upon the retention of the Philippines voiced the sentiments and wishes of the American people, and this nation has assumed with open eyes and with full realization of the difficulties which may be encountered the grave responsibilities imposed upon us by the treaty of Paris.

We are told that the islands are rich in all the products of the tropics, in mineral wealth, and in the possibilities of their future development. So much the better. But if they were as barren as the Libyan desert, we would have taken them just the same.

We haven't been there long, but long enough to reach the conclusions. One is, that the first thing we intend doing is to suppress the Tagal insurrection and to establish law and order throughout the archipelago. That is the first thing we shall do. And the last, the very last thing we intend doing is to consider, even for a moment, the question of giving up or of abandoning these islands.

We are actually owners of the Philippines by a undisputed and indubitable title. We are there as the necessary and logical outcome of our victory over Spain. There are upwards of a thousand islands sprinkled upon that southern sea, peopled by more than eighty tribes of different race and language, and having absolutely nothing in common with each other. Most of these tribes welcome our coming and are grateful for our protection. The Tagal tribe, but is not only to us but to most of the native tribes, are in insurrection against our authority. They have neither a government nor the capacity to conduct one, and are waging a predatory guerilla war, a war which would be turned against the other native tribes if we let them alone. What would the democracy have us do? Give them up to rapine and bloodshed, and leave the islands to foraum and jetsam on the face of the waters? There are parallels in our own history. We purchased Florida from Spain in 1821, when it had four thousand white settlers, for five millions of dollars, and other valuable considerations. The Seminoles, natives of the soil, brave, resolute having far greater intelligence and character than the Tagals disputed our possession. We sent Andrew Jackson down to fight them, and it took us twenty-one years to subdue them and send what war left of them west of the Mississippi. If the "anti everythings" had lived then, they would, I suppose, have urged us to turn over Florida to Osceola, the Agamemnon of the Seminoles. Would you, after the war with Mexico and the Gadsden purchase, have given the great area south and west of the Arkansas to the red Apaches? Not so did our fathers construe their duty, and as they built, so shall we, their sons.

The insurrection against our legitimate authority, which for the time impedes our efforts to establish a government for the Philippines, involves us in a sacrifice of lives and of treasure. The difficulties we encounter in the island of Luzon are many, but the chief inspiration and encouragement of the Tagal insurrection came from the democratic headquarters in the United States. Partisanship has proved stronger than patriotism, even when our soldiers are being murdered by marauding bandits, and it is were not for the help held out to Aguinaldo by American sympathizers, the insurrection in the Philippines would long ago have ceased.

Never since '61, when the voters of the country were called upon to determine whether the efforts of Abraham Lincoln to preserve the Union should be continued, or whether they should be abandoned and other measures attempted, have questions so vital been presented to the American people for settlement. Their decision must determine the maintenance or the desecration of both our national credit and our national honor. A democratic victory could paralyze the operation of the new currency law as effectively as if it were wiped from our statute books. A democratic victory would infuse new life into the Tagal insurrection, cost us the lives of thousands of our gallant army in the Philippines, impair or destroy our prestige, lessen our power in the islands made us a byword among the other great nations of the world, and obliterate our influence in the settlement of the vital questions certain to arise when China shall be opened to foreign commerce.

There is little room for fear that the farmer and the artisan in their day of prosperity still remember the impoverishment and blight of democracy, and the Chicago platform has no allurements for them. Our national honor is equally secure.

The American people are neither politicians nor pessimists and they will not signalize the dawn of the new century by the surrender of either position or territory. Every soldier back from the islands and they are in almost every home in the land, returns an advocate of their retention. Our dead are buried along the banks of Luzon and on its soil no foreign flag shall ever salute the dawn.

Whatever may be in store for us in the new and unknown track upon which we are entering we shall not be found wanting the unit lamp and the onward look. Our way is now but it is not dark. In the kindness of world conditions where we must take our place with the other great nations of the earth we shall move with caution, but not with fear. We seek only to lift up man to better things to have and not to destroy. The fathers of the republic accepted with courage such responsibilities as devolved upon them. The same heavens bent over us, and the same Power that shielded them will guard and protect us for what we seek is to build still more firmly, always upon foundations of praise and of virtue, the glorious edifice of our public.

We stand at the dawn of the new century. Before it shall have reached its meridian the youngest here will have passed beyond this life or beyond the sphere of usefulness. New recruits will step into the ranks as we fall out. This very year thousands of young men will for the first time exercise the right of citizenship and cast their ballots at the national election. The safety of this republic must ever rest in the courage of young hearts and the vision of a noble manhood. Youth is hopeful and hopeful. No smarting criticism, no gospel of a little America, no prophecy of despair, will find resistance from hearts that beat full and strong with courage and with faith, and whose creed is that

"God's in His heaven
All's right with the world."

Whatever else in the past has suffered change or decay the republican party which forty years ago had been identified with everything ennobling and uplifting in our history, was never as vital as virile and as vigorous as today. And the heritage we shall transmit to the new century, to the coming generation and to their children, and to their children's children, shall be a record clean and untarnished, an unquenchable faith in free institutions, an unalterable belief in the patriotism of the people, and an undying love of liberty and of country.

Mr. Wolcott received many hearty hand shakes from those about him, and then turned to the business of the convention, announcing the long list of secretaries and officials previously agreed upon.

TEMPORARY OFFICERS.

The following list of temporary officers was announced:

Temporary Secretary—Charles W. Johnson, of Minnesota.

Assistant Secretaries—John R. Malloy, Ohio; John R. Beam, New Jersey; Lucien Gray, Illinois; Gardner P. Stickney, Wisconsin; James F. Burke, Pennsylvania; W. B. Bochman, Tennessee; Warren Bigler, Indiana; John E. Royce, Kansas; F. S. Gayloid, Connecticut.

Reading Clerks—Dennis E. Alward, Michigan; E. L. Lampson, Ohio; James H. Stone, Michigan.

Clerk at President's Desk—Asher C. Hinds, Maine.

Official Reporter—M. W. Blumenberg, District of Columbia.

Tally Clerks—J. C. Potts, New Jersey; George B. Butlin, Nebraska.

THE MAN FROM KENTUCKY.

There was a momentary lull, and then Mr. Wolcott, gazing out at the assemblage, said:

Every eye was turned toward the center of the hall, where a tall, gaunt, black-garbed figure, with the swarthy face of an Indian, stood with a paper in hand, awaiting a pause in the hurrah which his name had evoked.

"Come to the platform, governor, they want to see you," called out Mr. Wolcott.

The much discussed man from Kentucky moved up the middle aisle to the platform. There was a cheer as Senator Wolcott advanced to greet him. There was momentary silence as the convention waited, apparently expecting a speech echoing some of the recent dramatic incidents in Kentucky. But instead of that, in piping voice, Governor Taylor seconded the nomination of the various officials, who had been announced, and this done took his seat. The nominations were made unanimously.

Mr. Payne, of New York, announced the chairmen. Again all eyes turned to the center of the hall, where, this time, the silver topped form of the chairman of the way and means committee was seen. He moved that the rules of the last convention prevail until other rules were adopted, and this prevailed without dissent.

The call of states for the submission of members for the various committees then began. It proved a tedious process, and the convention was virtually in recess as the names were handed in.

ROOSEVELT HOLDS LEVEE.

While the lists were brought to the stage Governor Roosevelt was holding a regular levee in the pit. Delegates swarmed toward him from all directions. Ex-Senator Quay was one of those who greeted him warmly. The New Mexico delegates, with broad sombreros, climbed over seats in their eagerness to get to him and shake his hand. Chauncey Depew and the other delegates of the New York delegation were ignored.

People leaning over the rails of the pit watched his every movement and many of the delegates climbed on to their chairs and watched the crowd eddy around him.

When order had been restored after the confusion incident to this scene Mr. Wolcott announced that the secretary would read the lists of the various committees. These committees, he announced, could meet immediately after the adjournment of todyn's session of the convention.

The clerk read the list in a voice which did not carry fifty feet from the stage, and the spectators, who usually applaud the names of the popular party leaders as they are called, were denied this pleasure of paying tribute to their favorites.

Not a single name was applauded. When the list had been read Representative Cannon, of Illinois, was recognized to move an adjournment until tomorrow. Rev. Edgar M. Ely, who delivered the invocation at the first republican convention in this city forty-four years ago, today, white haired and feeble, delivered a benediction upon the convention.

The whole convention arose to receive his blessing and then at exactly 3 o'clock the convention adjourned until noon tomorrow.

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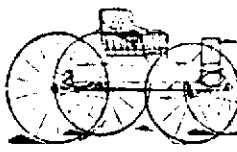

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SCORES OF GAMES PLAYED IN OTHER LEAGUES.

INTERSTATE LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Wheeling	27	16	.628
Dayton	27	13	.596
Fort Wayne	21	21	.500
Toledo	27	20	.574
New Castle	24	25	.490
Mansfield	18	27	.429
Columbus	18	29	.383
Youngstown	15	31	.326

James J. Jefferies, champion pugilist, was the attraction which drew a crowd of more than 1,300 people to the base ball park yesterday. While the champion was the main attraction to many there were others who cared more to see a pretty clean game of base ball than all the plug-ugly pugilists on the face of the globe. These "fans" were repaid for their attendance by seeing the poorest exhibition of ball given at the local park since the team returned from its last trip. Cooke and Jefferies were the umpires, the champion deciding the plays at first and second bases. He had one or two close decisions, but none of the players objected when he gave them against them. Swaim was pitted against "Smiling" Pete Daniels and, although he had been in the box twice before in four days the long fellow was very effective until the Fort Waynes had "cinched" the game. He allowed two little singles, one of them a scratch, in six innings, but in the seventh, with the score 9 to 0, "Cy" let down and the Senators scored six runs in the last three innings, while Fort Wayne accumulated three to add to the nine scored earlier in the game. An error or two helped the Senators score this half dozen runs. The fielding of both teams was slovenly, but the batting of the Hoosiers was good enough to win several games. The story of the contest is best told in the following score.

FORT WAYNE.

	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Krueger, ss	3	3	1	1	2	1
Brashear, 1b	4	0	1	11	0	0
Letcher, cf	5	2	3	4	0	0
Miller, rf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Holden, lf	5	2	3	3	0	0
Kehl, 3b	4	1	1	1	1	1
Hoch, 2b	4	1	2	3	1	1
Bergen, c	4	1	2	4	3	0
Swaim, p	5	0	0	0	2	1
Totals	40	12	15	27	11	4

COLUMBUS.

	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Beatley, cf	4	1	1	0	0	0
O'Connor, 1b	5	0	1	8	2	0
Keefe, 2b	5	0	1	4	2	1
M. Cann, lf	5	1	1	1	0	1
Robinson, ss	4	0	0	4	1	1
Beville, c	4	1	0	1	0	1
Williams, 2b	4	1	1	2	3	0
Lynch, rf	4	1	0	2	1	0
Daniels, p	4	1	1	0	1	1
Totals	39	6	6	27	8	5

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Fort Wayne	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	3	0	—12
Columbus	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	—6

Earned runs—Fort Wayne, 5. Columbus, 2. Two-base hits—Letcher, Miller, Holden, Williams, O'Connor, M. Cann. Three-base hits—M. Cann. Bergen. Sacrifice hits—Brashear, Miller, Bergen. Stolen bases—Miller, Krueger, 5. Left on bases—Fort Wayne, 10; Columbus, 4. First base on balls—Off Swaim, 1; off Daniels, 4. Hit by pitched ball—By Daniels, 1. Struck out—By Swaim, 6. Passed ball—Beville. Double plays—Lynch and O'Connor; Brashear and O'Connor; Krueger to Brashear. Umpires—Cooke and Jeffries. Time of game—1 45. Attendance—1,300.

OTHER INTER-STATE GAMES

DAYTON, 3; MANSFIELD, 1

Dayton, O., June 19—Error

									R	H	E
Dayton	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0—	3	10
Mansfield	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0—	4	5

Batteries—Gilpatrick and Donahue; Amos and Fox.

NEW CASTLE, 8; WHEELING, 6.

Wheeling, W. Va., June 19—Error

										R	H	E
Wheeling	0	1	0	0	4	1	0	0	0—	6	12	5
New Castle	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	1	1—	8	6	6

Batteries—Pierce and Boyd; Thomas and Williams.

TOLEDO, 10; YOUNGSTOWN, 3.

Toledo, O., June 19—Error

										R	H	E
Toledo	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	6—	10	15	1
Youngstown	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—	3	6	7

Batteries—Joy and Arthur; Crowe and Kess.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Philadelphia	30	16	.652
Brooklyn	29	16	.644
Pittsburg	28	20	.583
Chicago	22	24	.478
Boston	20	23	.465
St. Louis	21	25	.457
Cincinnati	19	26	.422
New York	18	25	.419

GAMES YESTERDAY.

Pittsburg, 4; Chicago, 1.
Philadelphia, 2; New York, 1.
Brooklyn, 6; Boston, 3 (11 innings).
Cincinnati, 9; St. Louis, 3.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Indianapolis	29	18	.644
Chicago	30	22	.600
Milwaukee	28	22	.560
Minneapolis	29	24	.558
Cleveland	24	23	.511
Kansas City	25	26	.472
Buffalo	18	31	.367
Detroit	18	33	.353

GAMES YESTERDAY.

White Stockings, 4; Milwaukee, 1.
Buffalo, 1; Indianapolis, 1.
Minneapolis, 8; Kansas City, 4.

CONCORDIANS' CHALLENGE.

The Concordians challenge any organized amateur team of this city with whom they have not yet crossed bats this season for a game next Saturday afternoon, June 23. Answer immediately. C. W. Bier, manager.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

The Madison Blues defeated the Cubas by a score of 17 to 14.

The South Side Maroons defeated a picked team of the west end by a score of 31 to 5.

Jack Glasscock's batting average since joining Sioux City is .540; fielding average, 1.000.

"Doggie" Miller, Letcher and Belden had on their batting clothes yesterday and drove in most of Fort Wayne's runs.

Stahl did some great fielding yesterday, accepting nine chances in left field. He captured eight flies and participated in a double play, catching a runner at the plate.

The Orioles, composed of youngsters who live on Spy Run, would like to hear from any team whose players are not over eighteen years of age. Address Capt. H. Eikerle, care of Sentinel.

In the game played last Saturday the Hoagland school team defeated the Jefferson school team by a score of 10 to 4. The feature of the game was the wonderful pitching of Erickson, who struck out seventeen of the Jefferson schools in six innings and then retired in favor of Cook. Batteries—Hoaglands, Erickson, Cook and Howey; Jeffersons, Lepshire, Hirsch, Bohn and Jefferies.

The Columbus and St. Louis sporting writers still talk of Harper as a "farm hand." Harper belongs to Fort Wayne now as much as any other player and St. Louis has no further hold on him than any other club, except that when he was released to President Mautner he agreed that the Robisons should be given the first chance to sign the young man if he improved in his work during the season. He was released through Nick Young and signed to a regular Inter-State contract.

Con Strouthers is umpiring the games at Toledo. Fort Wayne people who saw the games Sunday say that he is about the worst that has happened. President Power should send Strouthers to the woods at once. He has a record in the Inter-State that the club managers do not admire and in Fort Wayne he has no friends at all. The league had four good umpires in Colgan, Carothers, Cooke and Johnstone and if President Power would follow President Ban Johnson's course and pay no attention to protests the Inter-State would be much better off.

PATIENT GOES HOME.

J. A. Bevard was discharged from Hope hospital this morning and at noon left for his home at Garrett. Mr. Bevard is the gentleman who submitted to a very rare surgical operation a short time ago. His nose was sawed off and a cancerous tumor removed from his head, after which the nose was replaced. Mr. Bevard is recovering nicely. The nose has grown firmly upon the head and within a short time only a faint scar will remain as a memento of the delicate operation.

WORK BEGINS THURSDAY.

The commission of Philip L. Zorbaugh, as special census agent, arrived this morning and on Thursday Mr. Zorbaugh will begin the work of collecting manufacturing and industrial statistics in the city under the authority of the census department. He will be assisted by Louis C. Graham, of Decatur, and Bernhard Clapham, of Columbia City. Mr. Zorbaugh also has charge of similar work at Bluffton, Decatur and Columbia City.

EASTERN STARS GO.

Shiloh chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, is enjoying its annual excursion to Robison park this afternoon and evening. The first party of excursionists left the transfer corner shortly after the noon hour and others have been following at intervals during the entire afternoon. The Stars will remain for the theatrical performance this evening.

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THE MARKETS.

Chicago, June 19—There was a large trade in wheat today, but the feeling was nervous and the fluctuations were wide. July opened ¼@¾c under yesterday at 78⅛ to 78⅞c, rose to 79¼c and sold off to 77½c. Reports from the northwest were as bad as usual. Chicago receipts were 204 cars, 30 of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 311 cars, against 478 last week and 720 a year ago.

A perceptible weakening of the demand combined with a wave of realizing sales later sent July down to 77c. A rally ensued to 78⅛c, but did not hold, and the close was 1⅛@1¼c under yesterday at 77⅝c.

Corn was dull but firm. July opened ⅛c lower at 39⅛c to 39⅜c, rose to 40⅛@40¼c and fell to 39⅝c. Local receipts were 1,093 cars.

The market closed steady, July ⅛@¼c lower at 39¼c.

Oats ruled steady. July opened unchanged at 23¼c, rose to 23⅛@23⅜c and fell to 23c. Receipts here were 466 cars.

Provisions ruled steady. Hog receipts were light. July pork opened a shade higher at $11.50@11.52½, and eased off to $11.42½@11.45; July lard opened 2½c up at $6.70 and sold off to $6.65; July ribs opened unchanged at $6.72½ and sold off to $6.70.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—June, 76⅞c; July, 77⅝c; Aug., 78⅛c.

Corn—June, 39⅞c; July, 39¾c; Aug., 40⅛c.

Oats—June, 23⅛c; July, 23⅛c; Aug., 23c.

Pork—June, $11.17½; July, $11.17½; Sept., $11.65.

Lard—June, $6.62½; July, $6.62½; Sept., $6.72½@6.75; Oct., $6.75@6.77½; Nov., $6.75.

Ribs—June, $6.67½; July, $6.67½; Sept., $6.75.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.30; Cash S. W., $1.30; Sept., $1.29¼; Oct., $1.29@1.29½.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, June 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500, including 700 Texans; steers steady to slow; butchers' stock about steady. Good to prime steers, $5.10@5.85; poor to medium, $4.60@5.00; stockers and feeders, $2.35@5.00; cows, $3.00@4.60; heifers, $3.10@5.25; canners, $2.35@3.00; bulls, $3.00@4.50; calves, 25c lower, $5.00@6.75; Texas fed steers, $4.60@5.25; Texas grass steers, $3.75@4.35; Texas bulls, $3.00@4.50.

Hogs—Receipts today, 17,000; tomorrow, 35,000; left over, 9,200. Market active to 10c higher; top, $5.30. Mixed and butchers, $5.10@5.30; good to choice heavy, $5.20@5.30; rough heavy, $5.05@5.15; light, $5.10@5.27½; bulk of sales, $5.20@5.25.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, July 19.—The market had the advantage of higher quotations from London this morning and some of the International stocks showed small gains. The market generally was lower and large blocks of railroad stocks were thrown on the market carrying prices quickly downwards. Changes were confined to fractions except for a gain of a point in Consolidated Gas on the decision to advance the price of gas.

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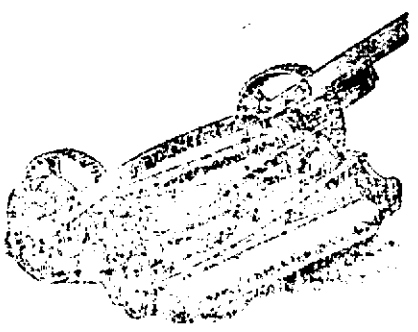

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PENNSYLVANIA REINSTATES SIX SUSPENDED FIREMEN.

EMPLOYED SOME MORE MEN

PENNSYLVANIA SHOPS MAKE INCREASE IN FORCE.

Mr. Elliott, the local representative of the Indiana Car Service association, is of the opinion that June will eclipse all previous Junes in the volume of local freight business handled at this point. Usually June is rather dull, but Mr. Elliott says the traffic this month will compare favorably with some of the winter months of the year. Mr. Elliott also said that Fort Wayne was a great shipping point and added that he could not recall a city of this size that furnished as much freight as does this one. Mr. Elliott does not keep account of through freight business, but he is of the opinion that that class of business is fairly good also. It certainly is on the Pittsburg road, for Road Foreman C. R. Colmey has been obliged to recall six of the firemen that were suspended a month or six weeks ago, the present number being inadequate to the demand.

BUYING ELECTRIC MACHINERY.

A party of gentlemen from Celina, Ohio, who repiesented the councilmanic board of that city, were here yesterday, looking into the merits of the Wood system of lighting. Celina is about to install a lighting plant and when the time comes for placing the contract it will no doubt be placed in this city.

THE CHOCTAW ROAD.

The Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf road, to which the Pennsylvania has sold several of its light engines, as mentioned in The Sentinel yesterday, is destined to become one of the most important of the southern roads in the future. Traffic Manager Holden, of Little Rock, Ark., has just returned to his home after a conference with the eastern capitalists who are back of the enterprise, and he was promised all the money necessary to extend the line in Texas, Mexico and elsewhere as publishd in the papers some weeks ago. One of the officials from the mechanical department of the road has been in the city several days, examining the engines recently fitted up for the company in the shops here.

RAILWAY OFFICIALS HERE.

George Chapman, of New York, president of the Findlay, Fort Wayne and Western road, and B. W. Fenton, general superintendent of the road, were here last night. The Findlay has not yet been able to find a desirable person for the office of commercial agent at this point. A gentleman from Indianapolis was here a few days ago, looking over the field, but he decided that the job was not to his liking and he returned to the Hoosier capital to await a less arduous office than the position offered to him in this city appears to be.

NEW SHOP FOREMAN.

Charles Peppard has been appointed foreman of the Pennsylvania shops at Chicago, vice Frank M. Cairns, transferred to Crestline. Mr. Peppard was assistant foreman to George Schmoll at Crestline for several years and is perfectly familiar with the duties of the office to which he has been appointed.

INCREASED THE FORCE.

The Pennsylvania shops have received several acquisitions in the way of workmen lately, the most recent being John M. Michel, a machinist, and J. E. Young, a helper in the machine shop. Mr. Michel was employed in the shops of the Lake Erie and Western road for several years, but was suspended shortly after the Lake Shore assumed control of that property, along with eight or ten other mechanics.

COMMITTEE MEETING.

This afternoon the gentlemen who compose the various committees of the shopmen's annual excursion and picnic held a meeting, the last that will occur until the event takes place. The committees have faithfully performed their duties and now it is up to the shopmen to make the coming excursion the enjoyable affair that it is hoped it will be. A fine amusement program has been arranged and nothing is lacking in the line to make the stay at Island park pleasant, providing, of course, the weather is favorable to outdoor sports. The tickets were delivered to the various departments this morning and are now being distributed among the men. The demand is good, indicating that the crowd at the picnic will exceed the crowd of any of the twelve preceding outings.

NEW WHEEL INSPECTOR.

Alfred Baker, son of Killian Baker, has taken a position as car wheel inspector at the Pittsburg shops, succeeding Harry Fitzpatrick, who returns to his former position that of machinist, in the shops.

HAD HAND INJURED.

J. H. Finney, machinist in the Pittsburg shops, will be unable to work for several days. Yesterday, while he was tightening a bolt, the wrench slipped and his hand was painfully cut by coming in contact with a sharp corner of a portion of the engine.

SUCCEEDS MR. HUNTER.

Alexander M. Baxter has succeeded W. E. Hunter as manager at the Wayne oil tank works, and has assumed his new duties at that establishment. Mr. Baxter was formerly senior member of the firm of Baxter & Taymon and is a well-known and popular gentleman. A host of friends wish him success in his new position.

TOOK ON MORE MEN.

E. Moore has resumed the place in Foreman C. F. Knothe's department of the electric works that he retired from a year ago. He went to work this morning. Charles Goeglein and Charles Seebold have also taken positions in the mechanical department at the works.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

The Wabash pay car will arrive in this city one week from tomorrow.

Wabash engine 417 will leave the shops tonight, thoroughly repaired.

G. Ketchum, a Pennsylvania cab builder, has gone to Pittsburg on a visit.

John Cleary, a boilermaker, is repairing the boiler in the Wabash pumping station at Antwerp, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Stotts have moved from Van Wert to this city. He is employed as a conductor on the Pittsburg road.

Brakeman W. Lloyd, of the Pittsburg, is suffering from poisoned face and hands and has been unable to work for several days.

On July 1 G. B. Wylie, traveling passenger agent of the Illinois Central, will change his headquarters from Chicago to Buffalo.

The New York and Boston limited of the Big Four on Thursday covered the sixty-one miles between Bellefontaine and Galion in sixty minutes.

Roy Tiger, son of Chief Dispatcher W. H. Tiger, has taken a position in the Pittsburg machine shop, to work under instructions during the school vacation.

All the bridges on the Panhandle between Richmond and Xenia are being strengthened to admit of running the new heavy passenger engines over them.

Wallie Conners, of the Bass machine shop, went to Toledo on the excursion last Sunday and missed the train on the return trip. He did not get home until yesterday afternoon.

The Wabash has earned since July 1, 1899, the beginning of its present fiscal year, $15,410,831, an increase over the corresponding period of the previous year of $2,008,268.

On the Panhandle, between Birmingham and Temperanceville, over two hundred colored men from the south are employed on work which will last for several months.

A proposition to grant students returning home for the vacation months a rate of one and one-third fare on the certificate plan is being considered by western roads.

Seth F. Green, traveling man for G. E. Bursley & Co., is taking a vacation, which he will spend east. He left on Pensylvania train No. 8 last night for Washington, D. C.

Louis Miller, J. Callihan, Thomas W. Smith and J. McCarthy are sick, and John Richards, J. H. Cody and H. S. Geerken are off duty for private business. They are Pittsburg shopmen.

Gus Gruber, of the Pittsburg copper shop, who has been sick, is out, but his doctor advises three or four days' rest before he resumes work. He called at the shops to see his comrades yesterday.

H. E. Nicholls, chief engineer of the Philadelphia and Reading, who has tendered his resignation, has been in the service of that company fifty years and since 1884 as its chief engineer.

Lieutenant Gaslinger, whose promotion was noted in The Sentinel some time ago, has moved his family from Ada, Ohio, to Rochester, Pa., in order that they may be nearer his present official headquarters.

E. H. Neely has gone to his old home in Wellsville, Ohio, to spend a two weeks' vacation. He is an operator in the east yards office of the Pennsylvania and during his absence from that place his duties there will be filled by Operator W. D. Toomey, of Plymouth.

Hon. J. H. Bass is looking after his foundry interests in St. Louis today. He left the city last night.

Engine 765 was turned out of the Wabash shops today. It will go into service on the Detroit division.

Fred G. Olds, machinist, is out on the road this week looking after the interests of the Pennsylvania Voluntary Relief association.

E. Buthenn has been promoted from helper to blacksmith in the Wabash shop, succeeding Omer Deskins, who resigned last evening.

Henry Klopper and William Stradley, boilermakers, went to Peru this morning to do some work for the Wabash which will keep them there a few days.

Fifteen Fort Wayne Turnvereins left last night on Pennsylvania train No. 8 for Philadelphia, where they will participate in the Turnfest to be held this week.

Machinist Charles McElfatrick is preparing for a visit with his mother in Indianapolis. He will leave for that city next Friday and will remain there about two weeks.

Master Mechanic G. S. McKee is on the Buffalo division of the system and will attend the annual meeting of the Master Mechanics association at Saragota, which will convene Thursday.

Machinist M. C. Tierney, of the air brake department of the Pittsburg shops, has been temporarily assigned to the power station, where he will have charge until one of the men employed there recovers from injuries received several days ago.

E. M. Young, who had been on a visit out of the city, and J. Schlatterbeck, who had been taking a few days' rest, resumed their duties on the Nickel Plate yesterday. J. H. Kepler is now taking a lay off for a few days. All are brakemen.

President Cowen, of the Baltimore and Ohio, attributes a large part of the increased earnings to the improved condition of the coal trade. He estimates that the higher rates on coal will add about $2,000,000 a year to the revenue of the road.

J. E. Noble, traveling salesman for the Bass works, has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to take the road in the interest of the firm again. He made his first trip out this morning, going to Plymouth, since he was taken ill three weeks ago.

A machinist in the Pittsburg shops who went into a car on No. 8 last night to bid his brother good bye, picked up from an empty seat a piece of money, which Captain Stoll is now holding awaiting the owner. Many a man would have slipped the money in his pocket and said nothing of the find.

Herbert Bickness, the boilermaker, who had been sick two or thier weeks, reported for duty at the Pittsburg shops yestreiday, but a few hours sufficed to demonstrate his weakened condition and he had to quit work and return home again. He will probably not be able to work before next week.

The large new freight engines of the Panhadle are hauling enormous trains over the Richmond division. Last week one train of 108 cars was hauled over this division by one of these engines, another of sixty-nine loaded and ten empty cars and a third of seventy-eight loaded and thirty-six empties—114 in all.

The Nickel Plate seems to be getting its full measure of the emigrant business. Last night, at 1 o'clock, another special bearing foreigners passed through the city, westbound. The train consistrd of five coaches and one baggage car and most of its passengers were Germans en route to the northwest, where they expect to settle upon farms.

T. J. Hudson, a well known locomotive engineer, died on Friday. He had been an engineer on the Western and Atlantic for twenty-eight years and a resident of Atlanta all his life. He was a member of the Knights of Honor and of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and had been instrumental in promoting the interests of the brotherhood in the southern states.

Contractor Henry Hilgemann this morning placed orders for the material for a $5,000 residence for Jos. Baker, on East Main street, opposite the Old Fort park. He also placed orders for the material to remodel the house of William Doehrman, on East Washington street, where the improvements will be so extensive as to make the house practically new throughout.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Henderson left last night for Erie, Pa., to attend the funeral of Mrs. Robert Dunn, who died in that city yesterday. Mr. Dunn is a machinist and a few years ago was thus employed in this city, working at different times in the Bass works and in the Pittsburg shops. He and his estimable wife were well known here and the news of her death will cause sorrow among a large portion of our people.

Among the absentees in the Pennsylvania train service are Conductors J. P. Gray, E. J. Martin, Arthur Stevens and C. A. Steven, and Brakemen B. Grand, J. Krouse, Rice and L. E. Williams. The latter has gone to Kansas City and the others are spending the vacation at home or with friends in near-by cities.

Frank M. Cairns was in the city last night and this morning, the guest of his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. James Cairns, of Broadway. Frank is en route to Chicago for the purpose of packing up his household goods and moving his family to their new home, Crestline, Ohio, where he has charge of the Pennsylvania shops and round house.

In some manner two items in these columns became mixed yesterday, making it rather embarrassing for Mr. and Mrs. George W. Knoll. This estimable couple were married at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon by Rev. Miller. The lady's maiden name was Miss Dora Weber and no young couple stands higher in the estimation of their friends than does this one. Mr. Knoll is employed in the instrument department of the electric works and he resumed his duties there yesterday. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Knoll, of 15 Miner street.

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We pity a man or woman who has lost the use of an arm or leg. But what is the difference between an arm which won't work and an internal organ which won't work? Many people have crippled livers and stomachs and kidneys. They are just as useless to earn their living as the man who has no arm. Their minds won't work; they are listless, blue, miserable. All people of this sort need

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The Evening Sentinel.

TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 1900.

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, June 19.—Forecast for Indiana: Fair tonight and Wednesday; fresh easterly winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Baum and Miss Harriett Baum, of Indianapolis, are in the city.

Mrs. J. L. Potter, of Indianapolis, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fordney.

The Misses Isabella and Gertrude Strong, of Cleveland, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Potter.

D. V. Whiteleather and B. F. Slessman, of Columbia City, transacted business in Fort Wayne yesterday.

Hon. J. M Barnett and John Morris, jr., have gone to Ann Arbor, to attend a reunion of their law classes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Trowbridge, of Fayette, Ohio, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. C. F. Tracey, of 21 Columbia avenue.

There was one prisoner, a train climber, in police court this morning. He was arrested by Detective Bates. The mayor ordered the fellow to leave the city.

Rev. Father Bathe, of the Cathedral, was summoned to Wabash today by a telephone message announcing the serious illness of his nephew, who resides in that city.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Third Presbyterian church will give a lawn social this evening at the residence of Miss Mabel Crosby, 111 West DeWald street.

The Young People's Christian union of Calvary U. B. church will give an ice cream social on the lawn of the S. F. Bowser & Co.'s works, on East Creighton avenue, this evening.

The Eintracht Singing society will give their annual Sommernacht Fest at Centlivre's park this evening. An excellent program has been prepared and a big attendance is expected.

Dr. G. B. McGoogan, the deputy revenue collector, has established office hours from 9 to 11 and from 2 to 4 for the remainder of June, in order to issue special tax stamps required by July 1.

The reception to be given by Mrs. G. T. Trier to the pupils of the Mulqueen Dancing academy will be given at the Robison park pavilion Wednesday, June 27, instead of June 20, as has been erroneously announced.

Architect Henry Meyer is engaged on plans for a residence for James A. Gavin, of East Wayne street. The house will be a frame structure, two stories in height, and will contain ten rooms. It will be erected on the property owned by Mr. Gavin on East Wayne street.

Rev. J. W. Lake, pastor of Calvary U. B. church, will leave at 7:45 this evening for Lebanon, Pa., to attend the biennial convention of the Young People's Christian union of the United Brethren church. Rev. Lake goes as a delegate of the Anglaize conference branch of the Y. P. C. U., of which he is president, and also as a delegate from the local union of Calvary church. His pulpit will be supplied next Sunday.

There will be a meeting of the arrangement committee of the traveling salesmen and office men of the wholesale houses of the city in the Commercial exchange this evening, to make arrangements for the return picnic to be given by the drummers to their hosts of two weeks ago. Every traveling salesman living in Fort Wayne or traveling for a Fort Wayne house is expected to take part in the coming picnic.

About 11 o'clock Monday evening two young men rallied at the office of Dr. J. D Chambers, on Harrison street, one of them supporting the other, who was evidently very ill. The doctor admitted them and shortly after the young fellow who was ill suffered a hemorrhage of the lungs, losing a great quantity of blood. The young fellow was too weak to move until about 6 o'clock this morning, when he was taken to his boarding house, where he is now in a very weak condition. The young men are from Chicago and have been here but a few days.

STRAWBERRIES, BLACK RASPBERRIES, GOOSEBERRIES AND CALIFORNIA FRUITS.

Fine Pierceton Strawberries, 7c and 8c qut.

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Georgia Peaches, 15c dozen.

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California Red Plums, 8c dozen.

California Tragedy Plums, 10c dozen.

California Apricots, 10c dozen.

California Cherries, 10c lb.

Extra Large Pineapples, 18 and 20c

Large Georgia Watermelons, 40c each.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

STOLTE.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stolte, of Washington township, died Monday afternoon from exhaustion.

Funeral services were held this afternoon.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Kretsinger.—Funeral services of Henry R. Kretsinger will be held from the residence of John Kretsinger, 47 Miner street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Members of the Masonic fraternity will attend.

Neuenschwander. Funeral services of Miss Tillie Neuenschwander will be held from the residence, 75 Columbia avenue, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. A. K. Zartman officiating.

INTEREST COMES DOWN.

At a meeting Monday afternoon the directors of the Old National bank voted to reduce the rate of interest charged on loans from 7 to 6 per cent., and the new rate went into effect this morning. Mr. Bond said today that the movement had been in contemplation for some time, and was done to meet the desires of business men who felt that 6 per cent. interest was all they could safely pay. Mr. Bond thought the action would be of much benefit to Fort Wayne business circles. A reporter for The Sentinel saw Mr. McCulloch, of the Hamilton bank; Mr. Hartman, of the First National, and Mr. White, of the White National, and in response to inquiry gleaned the information that each of these institutions would offer equally favorable terms to its customers.

The Baptist ladies of the north side will give their ice cream social this evening at 135 Cass street, instead of 135 Calhoun street, as stated in last night's paper.

TOO LATE FOR MARKET.

A gardner too late for market this morning with a load of peas, rather than take them home, sold the entire load to us at a price that we can sell at 3c quart, or 20c peck.

Elegant Strawberries, 6c and 7c quart.

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In view of the universal encouragement received from the many friends and patrons, and after careful consideration, the new proprietors of THE GREATEST GROCERY COMPANY wish to announce that, owing to the fact that much of the material required to complete the building could not be secured in time to the entire satisfaction of the other lessee, THE GREATEST GROCERY COMPANY HAVE LEASED THE PRESENT STORE ROOM in the BASH BLOCK and will continue the business at the old stand.

In making our bow to the public we wish to call the attention of all the old patrons of the Greatest Grocery, as well as those of the NEW GREATEST GROCERY COMPANY, to the fact that THE GREATEST GROCERY COMPANY NEVER HAD any connection with the B. W. Skelton company, who operated the Greatest Grocery, and HAVE NO CONNECTION NOW WITH THAT FIRM. We bought all the stock and fixtures of the B. W. Skelton Co. at RECEIVER'S SALE. This stock has practically been all sold.

In introducing ourselves to the public we wish also to say that in these times of close competition it is essential for every successful merchant to keep posted and GET IN ON THE GROUND FLOOR and buy and sell for cash. If you will favor us with a share of your patronage YOU will be a wise buyer. WE WILL NOT GIVE COUPONS, TICKETS or chromos, but will give you the benefit of the lowest CASH PRICES ever made in the city. We have now virtually a NEW STOCK. The recent break in prices in some lines and OUR ALERTNESS in other lines that have rapidly advanced, permit us to positively state that we own our stock at MUCH LESS THAN MARKET VALUE and are therefore prepared to make our statements true: that we will GIVE YOU the BENEFIT of the lowest cash prices at all times.

We will not misrepresent goods, but guarantee goods to be as represented. Of course we do not steal our goods, BUT WE DO BUY RIGHT, and therefore can sell at LOWER PRICES than you ever bought them before.

We thank you for your past favors and invite your inspection of our NEW STOCK and the NEW LINES we have added.

Very respectfully,

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FOR SABBATH DESECRATION.

Constable Kennelley went to New Haven this morning and served warrants on Henry Blaising, a saloonkeeper, who is charged in six affidavits made by John A. Snyder with Sabbath desecration. He is accused of selling liquor on each Sunday in May and on the three Sundays in June. Justice Trance issued the warrants.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul M. E. church will serve ice cream and cake on the church lawn Wednesday evening, June 20th.

Indianapolis and return Sunday, June 24th, via L. E. & W. R. R. Train leaves at 5 a. m. Rate, $1.00. 18t6

MASONIC FUNERAL NOTICE.

Members of Wayne lodge, No. 25, F. & A. M., are requested to meet at their lodge room in Masonic Temple Wednesday, June 20th, 1900, at 1 o'clock p. m. sharp, to attend the funeral of our late brother, Henry R. Kretsinger. Members of sister lodges are respectfully invited to join with us. Street car to cemetery.

HARRY W. PIERCE, W. M.

Attest:
D. L. HARDING Secretary. 18-2t

MONEY TO LOAN

On Real Estate or Personal Security. C. F. Pfeiffer, Rooms 6-7, Bass Block. 2-tf

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire in this manner to thank our friends and neighbors for their kind assistance during the sickness and death of our mother, Mrs. Anna Schmitt.

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